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## THE BIG THREE

Three horse shows in the United States and Canada are officially designated as "International" by the Federation Equestre Internationale (F.E.I.) the world governing body of horse shows, which is represented in the United States by the American Horse Shows Association. These are the Pennsylvania National Horse Show at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania; the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden, New York City; and the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, Canada. All three are held in the autumn (October and November) in the above sequence, and all three are held indoors.

The three shows justify their international status by offering a series of jumping events particularly designed for the Equestrian Teams of this and other countries. In 1957 and in many former years these events have attracted visiting teams which, in practice, have made these shows the "Big Three" of the North American show circuit. Now currently competing are teams from across the Atlantic (Britain and Ireland), from South America (Argentina and Chile) and from North America (Canada, Mexico and the United States).

It is a great privilege for the American Horse Show public to be able to see foreign teams in action and we are all consequently indebted to the management of the shows which make this possible; to the U. S. Equestrian Team, Inc. which enables the United States to present a team of its own; and to the supporters of other national teams which provide a considerable proportion of the funds to send them here. At the same time one cannot help wishing that all this program, the events, courses, horses and riders and the leadership which they provide by example—could be more closely related to all our shows. The majority of virtually all the other jumping events at the "Big Three" are held under local (AHSA) rather than under international (FEI) rules. Although it might be argued that this is necessary for the sake of variety, it would seem even more desirable to provide a series of events under international rules for civilian riders and horses who would undoubtedly benefit greatly by thus being able to put into practice the examples presented to them at the current sessions by the international teams.

If this were done, it would give major encouragement to the shows

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held earlier during the year many of which are now beginning to offer courses and events under international rules—we could, in effect, institute an international "circuit" which would culminate with the "Big Three". This would have a number of far-reaching effects. It would undoubtedly stimulate increased interest in shows on the part of the general public, an interest which finances shows abroad and should certainly do so here. It would give our major shows an international, rather than a provincial character, which certainly would be compatible with our position of world leadership in other fields. Finally it would provide the U. S. Equestrian Team with an adequate reservoir of horses and riders from which to draw in organising the teams which will represent this country in foreign competition.

If the "Big Three" will provide the leadership, it should not be too difficult to change the entire picture very much for the better.

## Letters.....

### Wire Jumping

Dear Sir:

I read with much interest your article WIRE JUMPING in the October 4th issue of The Chronicle and it took me back about 25 years.

We had the same problems here with the Shelburne Foxhounds (recognized 1907 - given up 1951) and I invented a dark tan canvas cover 12 to 14 feet long to SNAP on over plain or barb wire, which worked well. It was about 3 feet wide. We however always took ours off after all were over, rolled it up and fastened it back on the whip's saddle (cantle) which did not take too long. (We had very small fields here)

It was no doubt more cumbersome than yours which sounds A-1 as you carry several, and leave them up.

I found our horses only needed a few times to be schooled over ours in the corral, and jumped it very cleanly.

Perhaps I can describe the gadget without a sketch.

There were small snaps on the edge along one side, which was 12' to 14' long, and small rings about 6 inches down from the edge opposite each snap. These, as I recollect, were about 8 inches apart. It took two to snap it over the top strand and that could be done (and unsnapped) quite quickly. It was then ROLLED up and with two thongs tied to the D's on the cantle of the whip's saddle, it was not at all in his way. I do not now recall what weight duck I used, but enough so it hung good and flat. I first made numerous exper-

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# BREEDING AND Racing

REVIEW OF THE WEEK

## Mr. L. G. Burns' Home-Bred Eddie Schmidt Wins the Gallant Fox at Jamaica

### Raleigh Burroughs

When Mr. John David Schapiro, of Laurel, invented the Washington, D. C. International, he realized that considerable worrying would go along with such an enterprise, so he appointed The American Selection Board - eight high-tension worriers - to fret along with him.

Mr. Schapiro does most of his early worrying in foreign lands. Each summer, he visits the big racecourses of England, France, Italy, Germany and other countries, plus, maybe a few in South America. He comes home with every pocket bulging with horses - or rather, promises of horses.

A typical day after such a hunt might include the winners of the Epsom Derby, the Cambridgeshire, the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, the Irish Derby, a couple of Roman runs and a victor or two from Venezuela.

Then, his anxiety begins to mount and his dreams are disturbed by images of bowed tendons, ghosts of quarter-cracks and visions of accidents on the course.

Many of these nightmares come true, and frequently it is necessary to mobilize more horses to guarantee a full field for his big race.

Somehow or other, when post time comes around, a good representation of foreign horses is found to be at Laurel for the test.

The American Selection Board is made up of seven turf experts and me. It is the task of this body to choose worthy horses to represent the U. S., and then invite their owners to put them in.

You'd think that, with \$100,000 floating around loose, owners would be falling over one another to take a shot at it, but proprietors of prominent palfreys can be coy little darlings when they care to be.

"I'd put old Black Beauty up against any Thoroughbred in the world," the holder of a hot horse will holler, "especially Bucephalus." The owner of Bucephalus has recently declaimed in similar vein. But when you hand 'em a chance to get together, unsuspected complications arise. Both Black Beauty and Bucephalus have commitments, have just gone through hard campaigns and it certainly wouldn't be fair to send out either of them if he was not at his best. They say, "Thanks for the invite. We'll think about it; but don't call us, we'll call you."

There is no arguing against such

presentments.

The difficult part about making up an International is that the number of horses from any one country must be limited. You can't send out tickets to a dozen horses, because they all might show up. And when you invite only two or three, the vicissitudes of racing may get into the way. A horse that is as healthy as Achilles when offered a place in the race may develop heel trouble before the newspapers have the announcement.

An owner may be sensitive, and his appraisal of his pet is generous. He is certain that on its best day the animal could whip a Swaps or a Nashua or a Native Dancer. So he is hurt because you invited such animals AHEAD of him. It is impossible to explain to such a gent that you must not have seen his horse on its best day.

The idea, of course, is to get the best American horse available in order to make the best showing possible against the foreigners.

It isn't easy. Each year, more owners of horses in other countries are showing willingness to come over for a shot at the gold and glory Laurel offers. Better and better horses are likely to be here for the race as the years roll by.

Only one American horse has won the Washington, D. C. International, Mr. C. V. Whitney's Fisherman.

Maybe things will pick up. In the meantime Mr. Schapiro, his colleagues at Laurel, and his Selection Board will continue to worry.

### Jamaica

The Gallant Fox, November 2, was a "horse-player's" race. The distance of the event is a mile and five-eighths; that gives a fellow a run for his money. In this particular renewal, there was no standout. In such instances, the investor who guesses correctly collects handsomely.

C. T. Chenery's Third Brother was the choice at 3.75 to 1 (and that would have

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been a \$9.50 mutuel if he'd made it) and Eddie Schmidt was the second favorite at better than 4 to 1 (and that was a \$10.30 payoff and HE did make it).

Cavort cut out the early pace, with Find not far behind, and Eddie Schmidt, Mister Gus and Spinney pressing.

Find soon dropped back and Spinney went after the leader. Eddie Schmidt lost position and was eighth after half a mile.

Third Brother, well back in the early furlongs, suddenly came to life and moved up, displacing Cavort on the front end before a mile had been completed.

Spinney called it a day about the mile mark, but Eddie Schmidt began his business move and Promised Land entered contention.

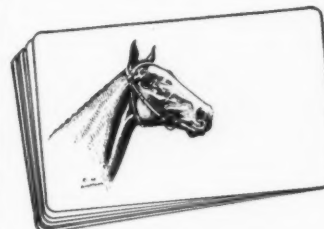
At the eighth pole, Third Brother, Promised Land and Eddie Schmidt were heads apart.

Eddie Schmidt, under Ismael Valenzuela, drove on to score by half a length, while Beam Rider came on to nose out Promised Land. Third Brother tired and fell back to fourth, finishing a length back of Promised Land.

Eddie Schmidt, owned by Mr. L. G. Burns, was bred by Mr. and Mrs. Burns. He is by Count Speed, from Paradise, by \*Alibhai. The four-year-old colt is handled by H. A. Jenkins.

The \$59,800 Eddie Schmidt took out of the Gallant Fox gives him \$171,750. His

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## Racing Review

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record shows 4 wins and 5 seconds in 16 tries.

Mrs. C. Ulrick Bay's Idun climaxed her two-year-old career with an easy triumph in the 1 1/16-mile Frizette Stakes, on October 30. Held at 1 to 10 in the seven-horse field, the daughter of \*Royal Charger-Tige O'Myheart won galloping, with her rider, Bill Hartack looking back for challenges that did not come.

Her margin at the end, 1 1/2 lengths, in no way represented her superiority over her opposition.

Lopar, Big Fright and Guide Line took the smaller slices of the purse.

Undefeated in eight starts (one win was through the disqualification of Bridgework) Idun was retired for the season after the Frizette.

Her other stakes wins were in the Matron and Gardenia.

According to Hartack, she might hold her own against colts of her age.

The Frizette prize was \$58,475, and that gives Idun \$220,955 for the season.

The filly was bred by Leslie Combs and J. W. Hanes and was sold at Keeneland last season for \$63,000.

Sherrill Ward trains Idun.

### Garden State

Bold Ruler cruised through the slop to rack up his tenth 1957 score in the Benjamin Franklin Handicap at Garden State on November 2. While his opposition was something short of first class, the son of \*Nasrullah-Miss Disco, by Discovery, accomplished his score in a manner that suggests he's about the hottest colt on the course today. He carried 136 pounds. If he goes in the Trenton, even though it is at a mile and a quarter, he may enjoy some sweet revenge.

In winning the Ben. Franklin by 12 lengths, Bold Ruler defeated Sarno, Jet Colonel and Ekaba. Arcaro had the mount on the Wheatley Stable representative. The Franklin is at 1 1/16 miles.

The winner's share, which amounted to \$17,598.75, pushed the big fellow's earnings for the season up to \$360,423. In 15 starts, he has 10 wins, 2 seconds and 2 thirds. Other stakes wins this year were in the Bahamas, Flamingo, Wood Memorial and Preakness Stakes, and in the Jerome, Vosburgh and Queens County Handicaps. At two, he won 7 out of 10 races and \$139,050.

Mr. Jim Fitzsimmons trains him and Wheatley (Mrs. Henry C. Phipps) bred him.

A fine sprinter bowed out of racing after victory in the Princeton Handicap at Garden State on October 30. Carrying 133 pounds, River Divide Stable's Decathlon won by a neck over Nan's Mink, with Itohe, third and Skipper Bill, fourth.

The race was worth \$14,545. It was Decathlon's eighth win in 9 starts this

year. He dead-heated with Lord Jeep in the John Alden at Suffolk, and finished second to Oclirock in the Bristol Handicap. Stakes won were the Tropical and Hialeah Inaugurals, the Coral Gables, New Year's, Rumson and Longpost Handicaps in addition to the Alden and Princeton.

The four-year-old colt's earnings for the season add up to \$96,448. His lifetime money score is \$269,668.

Decathlon (by Olympia-Dog Blessed, by \*Bull Dog) was the favorite at 2 to 5 in the six-furlong Princeton. R. Lawless rode him.

R. T. Shepp trains the colt.

Nuckols Brothers bred him. River Divide Farm belongs to R. J. Dienst.

Decathlon will stand at John W. Galbreath's Darby Dan Farm, near Lexington, Ky., next season.

### Laurel

Testing out the turf course for the Washington, D. C. International, Laurel put on the Turf Cup Stakes, on November 2.

This is an allowance and penalty affair, and it seemed that Tudor Era got in well at 118 pounds. He was made the favorite at 3 to 2. Jabneh was required to lug 128 and Hoop Band, 122.

Madok, a "country" horse which had won four straight at Charles Town, almost stole this one. Leading almost all the way he shook off Hoop Ring and raced right down

to the wire with Tudor Era, but Mahan came with a strong surge at the end to take the main prize.

The Hasty House Farm six-year-old won by a nose over Tudor Era, with Madok just another nose back in third place. Master Boing, which won last year's International, but nothing since, closed well to get fourth money. The mutual payoff on Mahan was \$14.00.

The \$16,850 winner's share places Mahan's 1957 total at \$27,125. He has 2 wins and 1 second in 10 starts. Last season, he earned \$57,425 and boasts a victory over Swaps.

Bred by Ralph Strassburger, in England, Mahan raced for that sportsman in the 1955 International.

Harry Totsek trains him, Sam Boulmetis had the mount in the Turf Cup. The race is at nine furlongs. Boulmetis, incidentally, won three stakes in four days - the Yankee Handicap on Manteau and the Maryland Futurity on Sew It Up, besides the Turf Cup.

### Short Takes of Late Stakes

Mr. L. L. Haggin II's Manteau won the Yankee Handicap at Suffolk on October 30. The race was worth \$38,140. Assemblyman, the choice, was second, with Ambehaving and Ben Lomond next in line at the wire.

Suffolk's Mayflower Stakes (November 2) went to R. B. Carroll's Deadeye Dick. Continued on Page 33



Last jump of the Monmouth County Gold Cup, Red Bank, N. J. - Mrs. A. J. Smithwick's CRAG (#8) defeated Mrs. M. J. Walsh's RYTHMINHIM in the "about 2 miles" brush race. (Freudy Photo)



Mrs. Henry Obre's \*COUP-DE-VITE, K. Field up, the winner of the Monmouth County Hunt Cup leading Mrs. C. Paul Denckla's NED'S FLYING, which finished second. (Freudy Photo)







## Virginia Fall Race Meeting

Chris Wood, Jr.

### Crag Scores Over Timber

Having virtually wrapped up first honors in the United Hunts Racing Association's brush division awards for the second straight year, Mrs. A. J. Smithwick's Crag switched to timber racing at the 3rd Virginia Fall Race Meeting, held at Middleburg, Va., on Saturday, November 2. With Mrs. Henry Obre's \*Coup-de-Vite and Alfred H. Smith's Grand Chal using the 3rd running of the Chronicle Cup to decide the year's timber racing supremacy, the versatile jumper from Hyde, Md., unhinged things by soundly thrashing both.

A field of 7 went postward for the year's final timber race, which is contested over 3 1/2 miles and only 16 fences. Urged by his usual rider, Joseph L. Aitcheson, Jr., Grand Chal got off in front and led over the 1st fence with Crag, \*Coup-de-Vite and Miss Jane L. Flaccus' Doctor Cliff following as named. Dropping back to last, the latter was pulled up by Grover Stephens after the 5th fence and later died in his stall from an internal injury of an undetermined nature.

Never permitting Grand Chal to extend his command, A. P. (Paddy) Smithwick rated his mount in 2nd position for 7 fences with \*Coup-de-Vite in close attendance. Fencing well, but losing ground by not being guided over a more direct route, Miss Jane L. Flaccus' Simple Samson followed in 4th position. Responding to Smithwick at the half-way mark, Crag went over the 8th obstacle with Grand Chal at his flank. Showing ability over fences, Simple Samson moved into the 3rd spot with Mrs. Obre's French-bred \*chaser 2 lengths behind.

Well in hand, Crag continued his leadership and over the 11th he got in a bit deep and removed a top rail which had no visible affect. Making a move under Kenneth Field, \*Coup-de-Vite came on to be 2nd over the 12th fence, 1 1/2 lengths off Crag and the same margin in front of Grand Chal, who was tiring. Plying the leather, Field got \*Coup-de-Vite to within a length of Crag over the 16th and final fence, where Grand Chal took out a top rail 1 1/2 lengths in their wake. Calling upon his mount in the uphill stretch run, Smithwick used his saddle artistry to gradually draw away and coast under the wire with 2 lengths in front of his nemesis, Grand Chal, who was just a head in front of Simple Samson. Never in contention, Mrs. H. Nelson Slater, Jr.'s Hunt Liege and Mrs. C. Paul Denckla's Ned's Flying completed the order of finish.

Making his 2nd start over the stiff obstacles, Crag completed the journey over rain-softened turf in 6:35. The victory was a popular one for the family from Hyde, Md., and following the "official", Mrs. Ricard R. Ohrstrom presented the

beautiful Chronicle Cup to Mrs. Smithwick and her sons, Paddy and Mike, who currently pace the nation's steeplechase riders and trainers, respectively.

### Daniel C. Sands Cup

Following Crag's display of versatility in the Chronicle Cup, along came Mrs. Cordelia Scaife May's Billing Bear to shake his leadership of hunt racing's brush division by winning the Daniel C. Sands Cup. Like most of the races on the program operated for the benefit of local hospitals, the brush feature was a thrilling event with a tight finish.

Getting in with 146 pounds because he has not won over brush this year, the Arcadia Stable's Caste, a recent winner over hurdles at Belmont Park and 5th in the \$50,000 Temple Gwathmey, was favored to win. Ridden by Paddy Smithwick, the winner of last year's \$10,000 Tom Roby Steeplechase, see-sawed with C. Mahlon Kline's Pine Shot, under apprentice R. M. Gilpin, for 9 of the 13 brush jumps. Ably handled by James Murphy, the eventual winner was content to follow the mentioned pair until approaching the penultimate obstacle. Landing a length behind Caste over this fence, the pair negotiated the final fence with the same margin of separation. Coming on the outside and plying leather, Murphy moved his mount alongside of Caste in the uphill run to the wire and got up in the final strides to win by a head. Best of the rest in the field of 7, Pine Shot finished third, 3 lengths behind Caste and 10 in front of Miss Mary Rumsey's Tall Mound.

Scoring his 3rd success at a hunt race meeting this fall, the winner covered the 2 1/2 miles and 13 brush fences in 4:21. The well-earned triumph gained 3 points in the brush division of the UHRA awards for the \*chaser from Ligonier, Pa., to bring his total to 10. The victory also made up trainer Mike Smithwick's mind to start his mother's Crag over brush at the Montpelier Hunt Races in order to assure his leadership of the brush division of the UHRA awards. Currently Crag leads with 13 points, but a shutout for Crag and a win over brush at Montpelier could result in a tie for the year's top honors.

### Hurdle Races

A pair of hurdle races opened the day's sport and trainer Arthur White, who was also serving as official timer for the meeting, watched his charges gain narrow decisions in both events. First to bring joy to the popular conditioner from Middleburg was the Brookmeade Stable's French Fleet. Figuring that a French jockey would aid a hurdler with such a name, Arthur White put Daniel Delaunay

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## Virginia Race Meet

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in the saddle. Meeting 7 maiden hurdlers, Delaunay and the 4-year-old home-bred gelding did not show any speed in the early running, which was dominated by amateur rider Crompton Smith, Jr., riding his own mount, Sir Nigel. Early speed was all the latter did show, as he tired after leading over 2 hurdles to run last for the balance of the 1 3/4 miles.

Following Sir Nigel's brief tenure as the leader, John W. Hanes' Terrible Turk under Joe Aitcheson took over command, with King's Fortune, another Brookmeade color-bearer, and Mrs. George L. Ohrstrom's Claribelle following as named. As the field of 8 reached the 6th hurdle, Mrs. Wm. Coxe Wright's Homework forged to the front, with Claribelle a head behind and the eventual winner running 5th. Still in this position as Homework, Terrible Turk and Claribelle moved over the 7th and final hurdle, French Fleet answered Delaunay's urging and the pair came on the outside of their field with alacrity. Driving at the finish, Delaunay got his mount up to gain a nose decision over the favored Homework. Running an excellent race under her new rider-trainer Daniel Marzani, Claribelle finished 3rd, a length off Homework and 3/4's of a length in front of Terrible Turk. Trainer White timed his victory in 2:41.

The Piedmont Handicap, a two mile hurdle test over 8 of the lesser obstacles attracted 7 starters and once again trainer White watched one of his charges gain a close victory, this time in the silks of Mrs. White. Breaking on top, F. Eugene Dixon's Lucky Trine and jockey James Hobales tried to run away with the race under the light impost of 134 pounds. Opening a long lead, Lucky Trine had C. Mahlon Kline's Gridiron, Mrs. Ogden Phipps' Out of Reach and Mrs. White's Blen More in back of him.

Still leading as the field approached the 7th hurdle, Lucky Trine's stride was shortening as Blen More made his presence known, with Out of Reach in close attendance. Over the 8th and final hurdle, Out of Reach went to the front with Blen More 1 1/2 lengths behind. Coming on the outside and plying the leather, Harry Hatcher closed on Out of Reach and got up to register by a head. Tiring at the conclusion, Lucky Trine finished 3rd, 3 1/2 lengths behind Out of Reach and Paddy Smithwick. In scoring his 2nd victory of the year over hurdles, Blen More was timed in 3:51 2/5.

## Flat Race

Making his 2nd start at a hunt race meeting, C. Mahlon Kline's Dark Horizon made a runaway of the Bull Run, a 1 mile turf test which closed a good day of racing. Ably handled by Edwin Deveau, the 4-year-old colt broke on top and quickly

opened up a long lead, which at the half-mile was 12 lengths. Running with ease, Dark Horizon coasted under the wire 4 lengths in front of Mrs. Vernon G. Cardy's \*Evian, with Major General Richard K. Mellon's home-bred, Breezewood, gaining 3rd money, 5 lengths behind. Llangollen Farm's Easy Stages, who ran 2nd in the early stages, tired to finish 4th. By Dante - Horama, Mr. Kline's colt scampered to an easy triumph in 1:33 4/5.

## SUMMARIES:

The Blue Ridge, (hurdles), abt. 1 3/4 ml., 3 & up. Purse: \$500. Net value to winner: \$305; 2nd: \$100; 3rd: \$50; 4th: \$25. Winner: br.g., 4, by Grand Admiral-Fillie, by \*Beau Pere. Trainer: A. White. Breeder: Brookmeade Stable. Time: 2:49.

1. French Fleet, (Brookmeade Stable), 152, D. Delaunay.  
2. Homework, (Mrs. W. C. Wright), 137, E. Deveau.  
3. Claribelle, (Mrs. G. L. Ohrstrom), 137, D. Marzani.  
8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): J. W. Hanes' Terrible Turk, 138, J. Aitcheson, Jr.; T. J. Albert's Clean Home, 145, T. Albert III; Brookmeade Stable's King's Fortune, 137, K. Field; W. J. Aitcheson's Mr. I Am, 142, C. Loston; C. Smith, Jr.'s Sir Nigel, 145, C. Smith, Jr. Won by nose; place by 1; show by 3/4. Scratched: Best Ace, Thy Delight, \*Sea Lord 2nd.

The Piedmont Handicap, (hurdles), abt. 2 ml., 3 & up. Purse: \$1,000. Net value to winner: \$630; 2nd: \$200; 3rd: \$100; 4th: \$50. Winner: b.g., 5, by Blenban-Summoor, by Annapolis. Trainer: A. White. Breeder: D. O. Furr, Jr. Time: 3:51 2/5.

1. Blen More, (Mrs. A. White), 141, H. Hatcher.  
2. Out of Reach, (Mrs. O. Phipps), 148, A. P. Smithwick.  
3. Lucky Trine, (F. E. Dixon, Jr.), 134, J. Hobales.  
7 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): W. M. Duryea's Breakers Ahead, 148, D. Delaunay; R. K. Mellon's Jacklow, 135, J. Murphy; R. K. Mellon's Downland, 130, W. Dee; C. M. Kline's Gridiron, 132, E. Deveau. Won by head; place by 3 1/2; show by 1 1/2. No scratches.

The Chronicle Cup, (timber steeplechase), abt. 3 1/2 ml., 4 & up. Purse: \$1,000. Net value to winner: \$630; 2nd: \$200; 3rd: \$100; 4th: \$50. Winner: b.g., 9, by \*Piping Rock-Highclere, by Jack High. Trainer: D. M. Smithwick. Breeder: Blenheim Farms. Time: 6:35.

1. Crag, (Mrs. A. J. Smithwick), 155, A. P. Smithwick.  
2. \*Coup-de-Vin, (Mrs. H. Obre), 165, K. Field.  
3. Grand Chal, (A. H. Smith), 165, J. Aitcheson, Jr.  
7 started and 6 finished; also ran (order of finish): Miss J. L. Flaccus' Simple Samson, 153, R. Beach; Mrs. N. H. Slater, Jr.'s Hunt Liege, 155, M. Ferral; Mrs. C. P. Denckla's Ned's Flying, 160, E. Weymouth. Pulled up Miss J. L. Flaccus' Doctor Cliff, 157, G. Stephens. Won by 2; place by 2 1/2; show by head. No scratches.

The Daniel C. Sands Cup, (al. steeplechase), abt. 2 1/2 ml., 4 & up. Purse: \$1,200. Net value to winner: \$760; 2nd: \$240; 3rd: \$120; 4th: \$60. Winner: b.g., 8, by Bolingbroke-Index, by \*Horron. Trainer: S. Watters, Jr. Breeder: Dr. J. S. Andrews. Time: 4:21.

1. Billing Bear, (Mrs. C. S. May), 150, J. Murphy.  
2. Caste, (Arcadia Stable), 146, A. P. Smithwick.  
3. Pine Shot, (C. M. Kline), 148, R. M. Gilpin.  
7 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Miss M. Rumsey's Tall Mound, 135, W. Mason; G. T. Weymouth's \*Ship Ahoy II, 133, W. Dee; Brookmeade Stable's Flaming Comet, 154, D. Delaunay; Mrs. T. A. Randolph's Essex, 150, J. Aitcheson, Jr. Won by head; place by 3; show by 10. Scratched: Carthage, Out of Reach, Eastcor.

The Bull Run, (al. turf course), abt. 1 ml., 3 & up. Purse: \$300. Net value to winner: \$190; 2nd: \$60; 3rd: \$30. Winner: b.c., 4, by Dante - Horama, by Panorama. Trainer: M. H. Dixon. Breeder: The White Lodge Stud Co. (Eng.). Time: 1:33 4/5.

1. \*Dark Horizon, (C. M. Kline), 143, E. Deveau.  
2. \*Evian, (Mrs. V. G. Cardy), 156, M. Hoey.  
3. Breezewood, (R. K. Mellon), 133, W. Mason.  
8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Llangollen Farm's Easy Stages, 139, J. Murphy; Windmill Farms' Prince Nam, 147, A. P. Smithwick; J. L. B. Bentley's Russ, 133, D. Delaunay; K. Dallam's Flying World, 141, H. Hatcher; E. V. Wilhelm's Weeper's Date, 140, C. Bowersox. Won by 4; place by 5; show by 1 1/2. Scratched: Claribelle, Best Ace.

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## Manhattan Matriarch-Story of Slamerkin

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### PART FOUR

#### The Revolution

In May of 1775 Captain James De Lancey sailed for England to urge upon the government the views of the New York Assembly, of which he was an active and powerful member. When he left Manhattan, passing down the current of the estuary in his little boat to meet the vessel in the bay which was to carry him to England, past his own lovely acres for a mile along the shore, past his own brick mansion among its lofty trees, the last of America to leave his sight, he could not have known how many, many years, what bitter, bitter years were to pass before he beheld these things again. Where, and when, he saw his horses for the last time we do not know. It is almost sure that when he said goodbye to his undefeated dark-bay mare Slamerkin, he had no idea that he should never see her again. Doubtless, even then, James De Lancey hoped that rebellion could be averted.

But it came. From his estates in Bath De Lancey summoned his family to his side, and ordered his property to be sold. What remained of it was confiscated by the Continental authorities. His horses, by sale and seizure, were scattered far and wide. Some of them have never been traced since they disappeared. The fate of others has come down to us only in fragmentary glimpses or romantic episodes.

There is no record of the sale of Slamerkin. Neither is there any proof that she was taken by the new government, although stories to that effect have been circulated. The details of her adventures have never been written, but they may be pieced together from the surviving evidence.

#### Hunt's Mill

Now let me ask you to take notice of a place which no map mentions any more. Far up in the highlands of New Jersey, in the region where Far Hills and Morristown and New Germantown and Bedminster were then being planted, little seeds of towns and villages, in a half broken country, a formation lay which the country folk knew by the inartistic but descriptive name of "The Hogback". The spot was aptly named. It was a ridge, neither wide nor high, perhaps a quarter of a mile across, which separated Peapack Brook from the North Branch of the Raritan river. At this place the brook course lay for its last half mile or so almost parallel with the river, into which it flowed. This tract of long and narrow hill between the two watercourses was heavily timbered, with much undergrowth, and except for the road which then ran along its crest - the spine of the hog's back, so to speak - it was nearly impenetrable.

Near the lower end of this wild place some clearing had been done. Here was a holding of ninety-two acres which yet belonged to the Allen family, heirs of Robert and Joseph, sons of William Allen. Adjoining this property was a tract of land, eighteen acres in extent, situated on the forks of Peapack Brook and between the brook and the branch, with a complete set of mill buildings. Here, near the mill, was the site of the engineering feat locally known as "The Folly". Years prior to the time of this story, the Allen family had owned the mill lot and had erected the mill buildings upon it. Experience taught them that Peapack Brook could not be trusted for a water supply, and to remedy the deficiency they had

recourse to a tunnel which they bored through the hill to the nearby river, where a dam was used to lift the branch level to meet the need. The additional water which they thus secured was obtained at such expense that the Allens became involved in financial trouble and finally sold out the entire mill property to a neighbor, Mr. Stephan Hunt, who held large acreages from the English Crown just over the county line in Hunterdon. At the period of the Revolution Stephan had been gathered to his fathers and his son Daniel owned his mill lot together with his other agricultural interests. This good man and loyal Colonist was then in the prime of life.

#### The Refugee

On a black-grey evening, when low and driving clouds were fleeting over the wooded Hunterdon hills and thin rain was gathering from the east, two muddy riding horses stood resting in the shelter of a shed close by the Hunt mills. A man, booted and cloaked, waited with them. He was a groom, a white man, chosen because he was trustworthy.

In the ample storage room below the mill, where the ceiling rested upon girt white oak rafters hewn from the Hogback forests, and the sound of the water running through the sluice was sweetly muffled, two men stood together in the light of a lantern, conversing in lowered voices. These two men had a companion, an animal. A horse, well wrapped in blankets, was tethered to a ring freshly driven into the timbered wall.

Both of the men were arrived at that matured condition of life which is indefinitely called middle aged. In fact, one of them was somewhat gray. He was speaking.

"I'd do anything for one of the Allens, Judge", he was saying, "you may assure De Lancey that she will be safe up here. I'll keep her as long as necessary. She shall stay right here in the mill when it looks as if the fighting might come this way. No one will find her here. If the trouble goes over, and no troops are about, I'll take her over to the farm until De Lancey is ready to have her at home."

"I am glad to see her in your keeping", the Judge said - he was John Allen, a Jerseyman, not to be confused with his Philadelphia kinsman - "I am sure she will be out of harm's way here. De Lancey is about to sell the others, if it comes to war, but this one he wishes placed beyond risk."

"Yes, yes", answered Daniel Hunt, "she might be stolen, and killed or ruined carrying some trooper. Such as this mare must be kept in safe places in time of fighting."

No one has ever known the details of the successive events by which John Allen came to have Slamerkin (for this was indeed she) in his possession that night, or the exact terms of the bargain he made with Daniel Hunt. It is said - on no better authority than rumor - that he owned her, and that he sold her to Hunt. But there is

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Stabling area of the Middleburg (Va.) Training Center - This is part of the area toured by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip during their visit to this country. (Hawkins Photo)

# News from the STUDS

## KENTUCKY

### JET ACTION RETIRED

Mrs. Elizabeth N. Graham's Maine Chance Farm, Lexington, has announced the retirement to stud for the 1958 season of the home-bred Jet Action, earner of \$311,225 in five active campaigns.

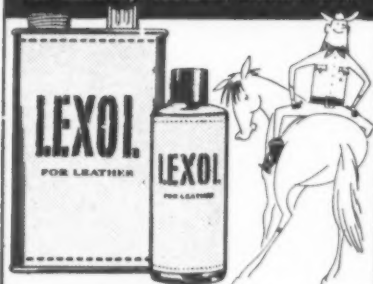
The son of Jet Pilot out of the great race mare Busher won the Withers Stakes, Roamer, Olympic, Washington Park, Sysonby and Paumonok Handicaps, and five other races. F.T.P.

### HASSEYAMPA TO SPENDTHRIFT

Walmac Farm's Hasseyampa, earner of \$240,060 in five active seasons, will enter stud next spring at a fee of \$500 live foal at Leslie Combs II's Spendthrift Farm, Lexington, where Robert W. McIlvaine, owner of Walmac, also stands the stallions Billings and Volcanic.

Half brother, by the Spendthrift sire, \*Alibhai, to Adams Off Ox, Hasseyampa won the Sheridan Handicap and Hawthorne Gold Cup, and placed in many other stakes. F. T. P.

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### MRS. HUNTER BUYS BROWNWOOD

B. M. Browning has sold his 200-acre Brownwood Farm, Nicholasville, to Mrs. Mary H. Hunter, who plans to move her breeding stock there from Hal Price Headley's Beaumont Farm, Lexington, on Nov. 15. F. T. P.

### \*COFFEE MONEY'S FIRST

Hot Coffee, a winner at Charles Town, is the first victor sired by K. G. Marshall's \*Coffee Money, who stands at the Nuckols Brothers' Hurstland Farm, Midway.

The Irish-bred stallion by The Phoenix - Sherwood Lass, by Neddle, was claimed as a three-year-old for \$7,500 by Mr. Marshall from Harvey Shaffer of Sherwood Farm, Milldale, Va., who raised him. Later \*Coffee Money took the Skokie and Myrtlewood Handicaps. In five active seasons he accounted for a total of 15 races and \$83,400. F.T.P.

### INTENT'S FIRST

Meant Well, Joe Price's half sister who broke her maiden at Saratoga, is the first winner sired by the \$317,775 earner Intent, who now stands at Charles A. Asbury's Hedgewood Farm, Lexington.

Unraced at two, Intent was unplaced only thrice in 21 starts over the next three seasons. He won the Santa Anita Maturity, Forty-Niners and Lakes and Flowers Handicaps, and two runnings of the San Juan Capistrano. He also finished first in the Santa Anita 'Cap but was disqualified. F.T.P.

### ROMAN PATROL TO STALLION STATION

Pin Oak Farm's Roman Patrol, winner of the Remsen Stakes and Louisiana Derby, will join his sire at stud next spring at Lou Doherty's Stallion Station, Lexington, Ky., at a fee of \$500 live foal.

An \$18,000 Saratoga yearling purchase from Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh's Springsbury Farm, Berryville, Va., the son of Roman-Karakal, by Psychic Bid, was handicapped by a chipped cannon bone that limited his career to 13 starts over four seasons. Nonetheless he took eight races and ran second thrice to earn \$92,875. F.T.P.

### KNIGHT LEASES LE MAR

Jack Knight has leased Le Mar Stock Farm, Lexington, which was most recently operated by Dr. Frank Porter Miller; and plans to run the 300-acre establishment as a boarding farm. F.T.P.

## SANDERS BUYS FARM

Frank Sanders, trainer for Freeman Keyes' Reverie Knoll Farm, Danville, has purchased Joe Wilson's farm on the Paynes Mill Road near Versailles. Doc Bond, Versailles auctioneer and member of the real-estate firm that handled the transaction, reports that Mr. Sanders plans to transform the farm, about five miles from Keeneland, into a Thoroughbred-boarding establishment. F.T.P.

### MISS BLUE JAY'S HALF SISTER

Edgar Zantker, owner of Swanside Farm, Lexington, has a yearling half sister, by Easy Mon, to Miss Blue Jay, winner of the recent \$20,000-added Test Stakes at Saratoga. She was leased by Mrs. Adele Rutchick after Mr. Zantker had vainly tried to sell the Double Jay filly privately. F.T.P.

### EWING BUYS NORMANDY PAIR

William Ewing has purchased the brood mares Leslie Grey and Judy Dunstan from E. Barry Ryan's Normandy Farm, Lexington. Leslie Grey, winner of the 1944 Rosedale Stakes, and dam of Helianthus and Informant, is in foal to \*Ambiorix; and Judy Dunstan, winning daughter of War Admiral-Distaff, by \*Beau Pere, is in foal to Mark-Ye-Well. F.T.P.

### HAIL TO THEE

Howell E. Jackson has a yearling half brother, by \*Princequillo, to Tick Tock, the Double Jay gelding whose first victory of the year came in Belmont Park's \$25,000 - added Sysonby Handicap, at A. B. Hancock's Claiborne Farm, Paris, where Mr. Jackson boards his Kentucky breeding stock. The \*Princequillo colt has been named Hail to Thee. F.T.P.

## NEW JERSEY

### THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS HEAR DR. JENNY

Members of the Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association of New Jersey recently heard a lecture at the Nassau Tavern, Princeton, from Dr. Jacques Jenny, Assistant Professor of Surgery at the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine. The lecture covered the function of bone as a supporting framework and as a protective covering for the vital organs and central nervous system, and the role of the endocrine system and the secretions of the pituitary glands governing growth.

### SIR HERBERT, JR.

Mrs. Adrian T. Platt of Loantaka Way, Madison, N. J. writes: "I just thought you might be interested in hearing of the death of Sir Herbert, Jr. He was seventeen and I think that we who own and hunt his offspring appreciate the looks, jumping ability and disposition he gave his foals. He had the nicest temperament

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## Slamerkin

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no shred of proof that either of them ever did claim ownership in her, at least at that time.

### Judge Allen

This Jersey Judge Allen was a man of discretion; he left no clues by which a malicious enemy of De Lancey could trace the mare he took to Daniel Hunt, and undo all that he had so carefully planned. War had not yet come, but war was imminent, and all leaders of American affairs knew that it could not be far away. Still they hoped that the trouble might be short, even while they feared that it might be long. Unable to race his horses, because of the closing of all sports, De Lancey was preparing to sell them at once if the situation became acute. Only one or two especial favorites he planned to retain. He made no arrangements to sell Slamerkin. He kept her in readiness for the races until the last. With the closing of the racing grounds at Annapolis in the late autumn of '74 and the cancellation of all the popular events which were to be run there, he knew that the end was at hand.

Hoping that it might be possible eventually to resume racing and breeding at his Colonial estates he was anxious to retain at least this one superlative mare. He was a kinsman by marriage and an intimate friend of the extensive and influential Allen family of Pennsylvania and New Jersey. He placed this problem before them, and they took up the matter with a country gentleman of a family known to them through preceding generations, who was just the man to assist them. Step by step the evidence shows how the Allens acted for James De Lancey, and went to Daniel Hunt for aid; and also it shows how Daniel Hunt fulfilled his trust.

So on that rainy evening the two men went out of the mill together, and as they walked away the glimmer of the swinging

lantern struck red reactions from the coat of the mare by the wall when she moved and her blankets stirred. The Judge got into his saddle, his groom adjusted the leading bridle they had taken from the mare they were leaving in the mill, and they said good night and rode away.

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## News From The Studs

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of any horse I ever knew. He will have five foals next spring."

Sir Herbert Jr. was a chestnut son of Sir Herbert Barker out of Diana, by Diavolo. Sir Herbert Barker was a \*Sir Gallahad horse who sired several stakes winners.

M. R.



### VIRGINIA

#### AUDLEY YEARLINGS

Forty-two yearlings are now being broken in the training barn at Mr. James Edwards' Audley Farm near Berryville, Va., with seven more to arrive shortly from Kentucky. Of these fourteen are owned by Audley.

### FROM ABROAD

#### IRISH NATIONAL STUD BUYS EUDAEMON

Eudaemon, the winner of last year's Gimcrack Stakes, has been bought by the Irish National Stud. Captain C. Elsey, the noted Malton (England) trainer, said that Eudaemon will not now run in the Cambridgeshire, and his only entry in that race will now be Roll Away, which will be ridden by E. Britt.

S. L.

### BROUGHT FROM BRITAIN

A recent arrival by air at New York is the British two-year-old Liberace, who is to race in the United States, his sale having been arranged through the George Forbes' agency.

By Liberator III out of Farago, Liberace won once and was placed three times in six starts. He is a half-brother to the useful Fulfer, the winner last year of Ascot's valuable Windsor Castle Stakes.

P. T.-C.

### \*MY BABU HAS GOOD ENGLISH FILLY

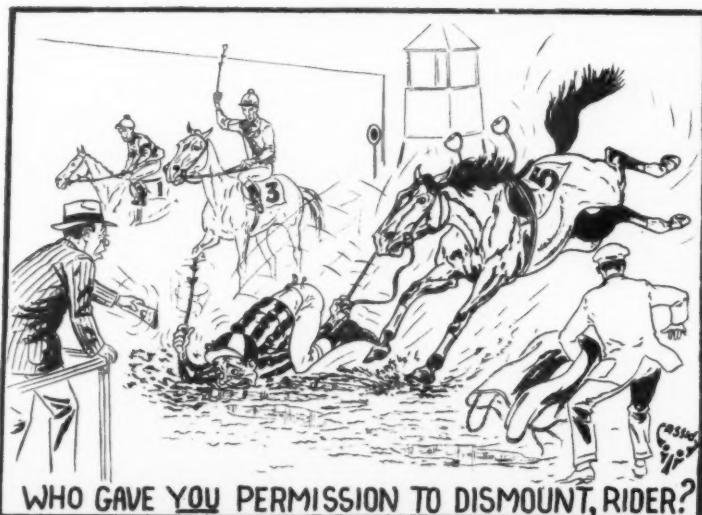
Carrying 130 lbs. and wearing the Crepello colors, Sir Victor Sassoon's Baby Flinders won the \$1,800 Plantation Stakes at Newmarket with the greatest of ease by five lengths to record her second successive victory.

Purchased at the Doncaster Sales by her trainer Noel Murless, acting on behalf of Sir Victor, Baby Flinders cost \$9,000 being a grey filly by \*My Babu, out of Flindra, by Fairway.

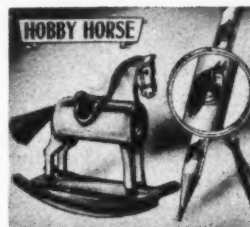
P. T.-C.

### RELIC COLT GOES A DISTANCE

Although French racing fans have heretofore believed that the offspring of the American-bred stallion Relic were strictly sprinters, Madame H. Suetet's 4-year-old chestnut colt Blockhaus (Relic-Belle Princesse) made them change their minds when he won the featured Prix Henry Foy at 11 1/2 furlongs at Longchamp.



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# The Clubhouse Turn



## KING RANCH FIGURES

Some idea of the immensity of the famed King Ranch, both from the area it occupies and the stock it runs, was learned in Dallas, when and where Dr. James K. Northway, D. V. M. for the Texas owned spread for about 40 years, gave an interesting address to his fellow veterinarians in session at the Dallas State Fair. Dr. Northway stated that modern day ranching is now a group of specialties, and a man can no longer be a successful rancher just by owning a herd of cattle.

"Operation of our place, almost a million acres in all, takes a large group of qualified folks to keep things going" said Dr. Northway, who joined the Kleberg family at the King Ranch in 1916. "A veterinarian requires an expert knowledge of modern drugs and animal disease prevention; of animal diets, of soil improvement, of water conservation, also of grasses and minerals; or erosion prevention and of scientific breeding of all kinds of high grade stock" he added, mentioning in an aside that the King Ranch now is home to 80,000 cattle, 2,000 horses, mostly Quarter Horses and Thoroughbreds, and that more than 2,500 ranch employees keep things going for the Running W.

Dr. Northway stated that the Santa Gerdudis cattle, a breed created by the King Ranch, are now doing very well in 38 states and 39 foreign countries, including South America and Australia, as well as other points in the Pacific.

In addition to the far flung points of the King Ranch, it might be noted that the United States Air Force has quartered at Kingsville the Nation's largest jet training base, and that more than 25,000 citizens are living in Kingsville.

B. B.

## EPSOM DERBY INCREASED IN VALUE

The Epsom Grand Stand Association has increased the added money for the 1959 Derby so that the total prize money should be approximately \$117,600, with the winner collecting about \$100,000. The gross value to the Oaks has been raised to \$64,400.

## JOCKEY CLUB SPONSORS BLOOD TYPING STUDY

At the recent annual dinner of the Thoroughbred Club of America, Marshall Cassidy, guest of honor, announced that The Jockey Club has made a grant to the Jewish Memorial Hospital in New York for work on the typing of the blood of horses. So far, samples of blood from over 500 different Thoroughbred horses have been obtained. From these, seventeen different types of blood have been isolated. The project is slated for completion in the spring of 1958. From the information thus obtained, it will be possible to give blood transfusions which heretofore have been considered dangerous. Blood banks can accordingly be established. It will no longer be necessary to register a foal as being by two stallions where the mare has been covered by both during the breeding season. Once the blood of the foal has been typed, it will be possible to state definitely which stallion is the sire. Blood typing may also be used to establish identity in connection with yearling sales and other transfers of ownership.

## SHOW RING TO RACE TRACK

Mrs. Daniel J. Kennedy, who trains the horses of the Kennedy-Veale Stable with great success, began her horse career riding show horses in Winnipeg, Canada.

## OLD WOODBINE UP

Attendance and mutuel handle at the 24-day meeting at Old Woodbine which ended on September 4th, showed gains of 4 and 3 per cent respectively. Labor Day (September 2nd) produced the biggest crowd of the meeting.

## RECORDS SHATTERED AT ATLANTIC CITY

Records were shattered during the 50-day Atlantic City Meeting which ended on Saturday, October 5th. On August 24th, the \$2,839,435 wagered beat the previous day's record while the \$413,377 bet on the Ventnor Turf Handicap that day beat the previous record for a single race. Average mutuel play was up \$54,612 per day as was also attendance.

## ISELIN JUVENILE FOR STATES

Mrs. C. O. Iselin has decided to send her good juvenile Procedure to the United States, where he will continue his racing career.

By Court Martial out of the Owen Tudor mare Rose of Peach, in five starts he won the valuable Nottinghamshire Breeders' Foal Stakes by three lengths and was beaten only a head in the Chesham Stakes at Ascot while trained at Newmarket by Captain Boyd Rochfort.

P. T.-C.

## THE CHRONICLE

### CLERMONT'S CARETAKER

Paul Butler of Oak Brook (Chicago) polo fame has as caretaker for his good stakes horse, Clermont, Miss Daphne Collings from Torquay, England. She is the authorized agent for Mr. Butler's one-horse Oak Brook Farm Stable and not only takes care of the paper work, but of Clermont as well. A German shepherd dog named Simba guards Clermont when Miss Collings is away. Del. W. Carroll, who is a high goal polo player and plays at Oak Brook, as well as training a large string of horses, is Clermont's conditioner.

### RUNS IN THE FAMILY

One of the rare occasions where a Thoroughbred wins a stakes race named after a member of its own family took place at Hawthorne when Leslie Combs II's Moon Glory won the Durazna Stakes.

The Durazna, first run in 1952, was named for the best 2-year-old filly of 1943. From the first crop of Bull Lea, Durazna was a daughter of Brownell Combs' great race mare Myrtlewood. Moon Glory, this year's Durazna winner is a grand daughter of Myrtlewood.

Durazna, like her dam Myrtlewood, beat the colts as well as the fillies in three seasons which saw her win the Prairie State Stakes, the Breeder's Futurity, and the Sheridan, Beverly, Clang, and Hawthorne Juvenile Handicaps.

Five years after Durazna led her generation another of the Myrtlewood clan headed the fillies of 1948 when Maine Chance Farm's Myrtle Charm, bred by Brownell and Leslie Combs II, swept the title with a victory in the rich Matron Stakes and led all other fillies on the Experimental Free Handicap with 121 pounds, seven more than her nearest competitor.

Moon Glory, this year's Durazna winner, is by the French \*Norseman, which stood at Spendthrift Farm before returning to France in 1956. Moon Glory was foaled late in May and the Durazna was only her third start. It's still too early to tell if Moon Glory is as good as her distinguished relations but she must be given ranking with the best of 1957's best fillies.

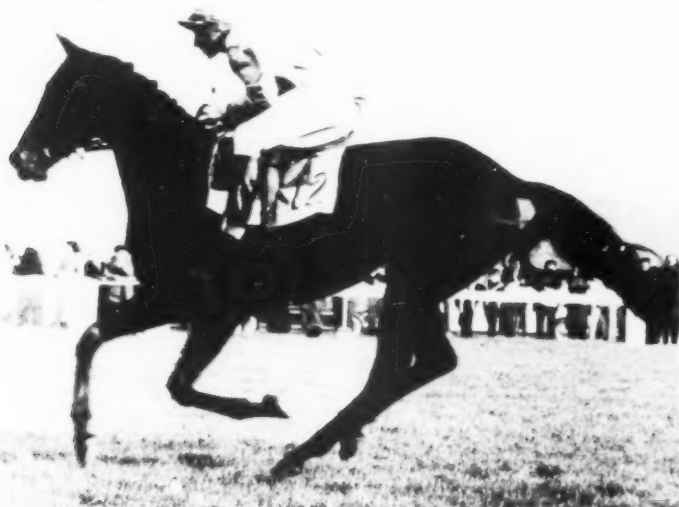
Other top fillies that descend from Myrtlewood are Sequence, Myrtle's Jet, Bella Figura, Amiga, and Spring Beauty. All were weighted high on the Experimental Free Handicap.

### AVERAGE RACING AGE

According to figures compiled by J. A. Estes and Art Baumohl of "The Blood-Horse", a thousand registered foals of 1944 and 1945 were studied of which 77.2 per cent got to the post. These raced an average of 4.07 years and did their last racing at an average age of 5.73 years. More than half their total money was won at the ages of 2, 3, and 4.

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Francois Dupre's BELLA PAOLA (Ticino-Rhea II), GuyLequeux up, winner of the Grand Criterium, France's most important race for 2-year-olds. (P. Bertrand, Chantilly)

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#### BIGGER BELMONT

The 37-day Belmont Park Fall Meeting extending from Labor Day through October 14th showed an increase in both betting and attendance. On four different days, more than \$3,000,000 was bet through the mutuel machines. George D. Widener had the leading stable and the steeplechase trainer, D. M. Smithwick, was leading trainer, having saddled thirteen winners, three more than Charles Whittingham, who trains for Mrs. M. E. Lunn of the Llangollen Farm, Upperville, Va.

#### FARAWAY SALE ASKED

The sale of the Samuel D. Riddle Estate's portion of Faraway Farm, Lexington, Ky., within a year was asked by a Pennsylvania Deputy Attorney in Delaware County Court, Media, Pa., Oct. 24. The petition argued that maintenance of the farm had drained the Estate, most of which was left to establish a hospital near Mr. Riddle's Media home, from \$3,013,000 at the time of his death in 1951 to \$1,925,000 now. F. T. P.

#### ROMANTISME LEADING FRENCH HURDLER

Leading hurdler in France is Louis Meurs' Romantisme who recently completed a classic double by winning the 19-furlong Grand Course de Haies Enghien following the even more important Grand Course de Haies at Auteuil in June.

#### HAWTHORNE BETTING UP

Although attendance was off 4 per cent, the betting at the recently completed 35-day meeting at the Hawthorne track near Chicago showed a rise in betting of 5 per cent.

#### FRENCH ADDITIONS TO INTERNATIONAL

Following on the withdrawal from the Washington D. C. International of Orosio, winner of the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, invitations have been accepted from the French fillies Rose Royale, belonging to Prince Aly Khan, and Denisy, belonging to Roger Saint. The latter finished second in the Arc de Triomphe.

#### DOUBLE JAY FILLY WINS IN IRELAND

Three years ago at the Keeneland Fall Sales, Prince Aly Khan bought from Joseph M. Roebling the mare Bells of War (by War Relic) in foal to Double Jay. From this mating came the filly Tocsina, now a 2-year-old, who recently won easily at Baldoyle, Ireland.

#### PINK NUMBERS AT JAMAICA

The Greater New York Association people are great ones for improving things all the time. Now that racing in New York has moved back to the subway platform of the American Thoroughbred sports (many people call it Jamaica), GNYA is posting the daily double pay off on those boards off to one side of the tote boards in numbers of luminous pink. The pay offs for the daily double used to be posted for each entry in the second race as these pay offs would be if each entry in the second race were coupled with the winner of the first. Then, after the second race was completed, a yellow rectangle would be put around the winner and the pay off. The old way with the yellow rectangle was fairly visible I guess, but this new one is not only plainly visible, it fairly screams at you. There can certainly be no complaints about not being able to see how the daily double came out.

All afternoon the other day, I wondered when one of the horses in the post parade would take a look at those pink screaming numbers and either drop dead in his tracks or run away.

Sure enough, Bunny's Babe, in the sixth race (a six-furlong affair which started on the backstretch) post parade took one look at the new double board pay-off posting and refused then and there to take any further part in the proceedings. He didn't run away or drop dead; he just stood there.

Stable ponies, outriders, and Bill Boland who had the mount could do nothing to induce Bunny's Babe to move. Finally Outrider Lucius Dupps dismounted and got the runner moving by throwing handfuls of dirt at him from the rear. Mr. Dupps got quite a work out scooping up sand at a full run, sprinting after the horse, and throwing the dirt all at the same time. Two full furlongs of it he had too.

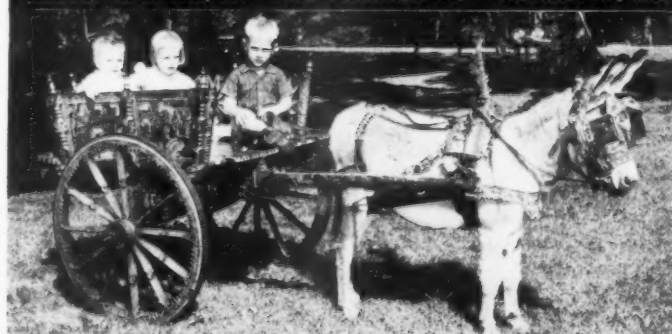
I knew that pink would do something to somebody, man or beast, sooner or later. It didn't take long. R. J. Clark

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# HUNTING

## New England Hunts Hunter And Hound Trials

The New England Hunts 28th Annual Hound Trials and 19th Championship Hunter Trials, under the auspices of the Groton Hunt, were held at Mrs. Richard E. Danielson's estate in Groton on Saturday, October 26. Entries from Millwood, Myopia, Groton and Norfolk competed in the events which hadn't been held in Groton since 1939.

The New England Hunts Challenge Cup for Packs was competed for by two couples from each hunt over a drag course of about five miles. The Groton Hunt's Dancer was first across the finish line followed closely by Groton Smasher, Sampson, and Sailor who were second, third and fifth to give the Cup to Groton for the first time in thirty years. Groton's Dancer, earlier in the day, won Best In Show in the New England Hunts Bench Show held in conjunction with the Hunter Trials and Hound Trials.

Twenty horses, five from each hunt, competed in the Championship Hunter Trials. A new scoring system was used to make the competition more suitable for a working field hunter. The judges were asked to score the contestants on the basis of 10% for manners, style and way of going on the flat, 5% for conformation, while the cross country was divided into 50% for jumping performance, 25% for form and style of jumping and 10% for manners and way of going, all totaling 100% or 1000 points for the highest possible score. To simplify the judge's task, each one was given a separate score sheet for each horse, setting forth the scale of penalty points and providing appropriate boxes for the scoring categories.

The course of about two and a half miles was an excellent test for a working field hunter including all types of terrain and a well chosen variety of obstacles. Among the 25 obstacles was a pen with a narrow red gate for the out, a right angle turn where riders had to take a gate flanked by simulated barbed wire, a lead over fence, a brook, a combination ditch and bank, a faggot pile and a row of filled apple boxes at the entrance to an orchard.

The Heard Cup for the individual horse having the highest aggregate score was presented to Torcha, owned and ridden by Mrs. Kenneth Read of the Groton Hunt. Mrs. Read garnered 955 points for a near perfect score. Reserve to Torcha was

Village Echo, owned and ridden by Miss Honora Haynes of the Groton Hunt. Third was Mrs. Francis P. Sears, Jr. on her Toya from Myopia and fourth, also from Myopia, Miss Iris Winthrop on her Seaworthy.

The Appleton Cup was presented to the Groton Hunt whose two riders Mrs. Read with Torcha and Miss Haynes with Village Echo had the best combined aggregate score for two horses from the same hunt.

The Prince Cup for the runner-up team went to Myopia represented by Mrs. Sears, Jr. and Toya and Miss Winthrop and Seaworthy.

The Hamdan Trophy for the horse the judges considered the best "guest" horse, conformation not to count, went to a Millwood horse, Mrs. Gardiner H. Fiske's Sporting Print, ably ridden by 13 year old Patty Gray.

A Junior Division was included in the Hunter Trials for the first time with each hunt represented by four juniors. The juniors were judged under the same rules over a modified course of about two miles. Miss Patricia Harrigan placed first on her Tammany representing the Myopia Hunt. Second, also from Myopia was Patricia Preston on Mike Carter's Miss Shoe. Third from the Groton Hunt was Linda Wolftrum's Winfield and fourth from Myopia was Elizabeth Loeb's Mike. The team trophy for the best combined ag-

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gregate score for two horses from the same hunt went to Myopia represented by Patricia Harrigan and Patricia Preston.

Senior Judge for the Hunter Trials was John Bowles from the West Hills Hunt in California. Other judges were Mrs. Winthrop Pyemont, Miss Eleanor Morris, Mrs. Porter Heffenger, George H. Timmins and Carroll G. Anthony, J.C.

## Eglinton Hunter Trials

The Eglinton Hunt, Todmorden, Ontario went outside its own country this year for the location of the Annual Hunter Trials. The move to L. J. McGuinness Farm for the site of the trials some 25 to 30 miles away from the home property had some drawbacks in that both attendance and entries were down but from the point of view of the course and its visibility a finer site would be hard to find. Rolling terrain with the course layed out over natural fields with only one or two built obstacles and the whole in clear view; a sunny fall day with foliage turning to autumn colours and the violet and blue of the Kinghills as they rippled away into the distance made it a picture to long remember.

Lt. Col. Charles Baker, impeccably turned out with his scarlet coat and mounted on Starclift, now nearly white, fitted in perfectly for the main subject of this picture and he was indeed that, for Starclift proved to be the horse of the day by winning all three events in which he was entered. One of these was the final competition in a series of three for the Eglinton Master's Shield. Starclift had two wins to his credit from previous weeks so earned all possible points for the senior Shield.

In the Junior Shield Pene Umphrey, who took third in the day's competition with Snowball was the undisputed winner in the final analysis with 13 points. Broadview

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THE FAIRFAX HUNT OF VIRGINIA - (L. to r.): Hon. Whipper-in J. Wade Dorsett; Mrs. Harry Edwards; and Mrs. Ramone Eaton, Honorary Whipper-in.

(Continental Photographers)

## Chagrin Valley Hunt Hunter Trials

The inclusion of three limit classes in their hunter trials proved a successful venture for the Chagrin Valley Hunt. These classes were for "juniors who had never ridden in any C. V. H. hunter trial except in beginner's classes" and proved an excellent opportunity for those not up to adult competition.

Barbara Griffiths and her Fancy Free were pinned on top in the Foxhunter's Class for the best field performance. They were presented with the new Hunger Hill trophy given by Mr. and Mrs. Harman W. McBride in memory of Mr. McBride's fine hunter.

Among the other fine performances of the day were Gilbert W. Humphrey on The Sky, winner of the Master's Trophy for the second year; Molly O'Neill who topped a good field of juniors to win the "Hounds' Hill" trophy with Wisecrack, and Joan Mishler's Sunset, winner of the Ladies' Class. D. W.

## Genesee Valley Hunt Horse Trials

The third annual Genesee Valley Hunt Horse Trials had two interesting changes, the entrie Dressage phase was run off in the morning and the cross country course was almost wholly within view of the spectators. Both changes were a big improvement but some of the competitors felt that there were too many turns and direction changes involved for the cross country phase. Quite a few were eliminated for going off course. Thirty-nine riders competed, most of whom hunt regularly in the Valley. The Dressage test was relatively simple and the scores were higher than in past years, the stadium jumping test did not present many problems and the cross country phase had some interesting obstacles. M. K.

## Eglinton Hunt Masters Shield

The Eglinton Hunt Masters' Shield Competitions started in September; the first was held on the 15th and the second on the 22nd. Third and final competition was Oct. 6.

An annual event, The Shield, commenced back in the '20's as a series of competitions through the winter. The late George Beardmore, master at that time, presented large and handsomely mounted silver shield to the club on which the names of each year's winners were engraved on tiny shields. Miniature replicas of the large shield were presented to the winners. There were two identical Masters Shields, one for the seniors and one for juniors. After Eglinton moved from its location in Toronto, where it had a magnificent indoor arena which made winter com-

petitions possible, the original shields with their history of past winners, were most unfortunately lost in a fire. It was not possible to replace them, but the die for the replicas was still available and these continue to be awarded each year to seniors and juniors.

The original competition was for performance jumping over ten weeks. In more recent years conditions were altered to make the competition for working hunters in a much shorter series held in the early fall. This year in addition to the two divisions for the Masters Shield, events for pairs of hunters and hunter hacks were added to each days' program. On each of the first and second competitions Lt. Col. Charles Baker won the senior and Penny Umphrey won the Junior. With the final award being based on the point system it is not likely that either can be defeated for the final honour. Six placings

are given for seniors and four for juniors. Sept. 15: Senior shield - 1. Starclift, Lt. Col. Charles Baker; 2. Red Top, Robert Elder; 3. Tara, Brig. F. C. Wallace; 4. Double Crossed, Lt. Col. Chas. Baker; 5. Sunbird, Lt. Col. G. Allan Burton, M.F.H.

Junior shield - 1. Snowball, Penny Umphrey; 2. Sunrise, David Shortill; 3. Sev, Penny Alexander.

Pairs hunters - 1. Red Top and Yankee Wonder, Robert Elder; 2. Gunner & Black Maria, Ian Echlin & Paul Matthews; 3. Tara & Highball, Major Charles Kindersley, M.F.H.; 4. Easter Parade & Little Coquette, Wendy Rodgers & Penny Robertson.

Hunter hack - 1. Royal Mark, Norah Bladen; 2. Twilight, Martha West; 3. Tenan, Mary Carswell; 4. Snowball. Sept. 22: Senior shield - 1. Starclift; 2.

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Tara; 3. Sunbird; 4. Double Crossed. Junior shield - 1. Snowball; 2. Royal Mark; 3. Tenan; 4. Twilight.

Pair hunters - 1. Highball & Tara; 2. Black Maria & Jorrock, W. G. Tompkins; 3. Royal Mark & Little Coquette; 4. Sev & Snowball.

Hunter hack - 1. My Qua, Caird Wilson; 2. Big Secret, Ann Padfield; 3. Twilight; 4. Royal Mark.

### Middlebury Dampener

Shades of the 1955 New England floods - approximately 5 members of The Middlebury Hunt on Sept. 21 followed hounds and joint MFH Bert Bowen into some newly-

opened country for the first time but saw little of the terrain (or hounds) when a cloudburst which dumped several inches of rain in a matter of less than two hours broke with sodden fury. It was a dreary end to a day which saw a kill in the first 40 minutes and two jousts with hornets which kept many in the field "Humping". Additional excitement came when the chestnut ridden by Howard Larkin, The Middlebury's honorary secretary, reared back while dismounted as Larkin was taking down some wire. The horse finally went down and rolled under Morgan Burke's charger, depositing that combination in the mud of a damp cornfield too.

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### Hound Entries Due

Joseph J. Jones, Keeper of the Stud Book of the Masters of Foxhounds Association, reminds all Masters of recognized and registered Hunts that 1957 entries to be registered in the Stud Book should be received by the 15th of November. If a Hunt has an already well established record of the breeding of their hounds on file with his office, a hound list of 1957 entries may be filled in lieu of Certificate and Record of Pedigrees.

### Hunter Trials Summaries OAK BROOK

CORRESPONDENT: Vivian Bachmann.  
PLACE: Hinsdale, Ill.  
TIME: Oct. 13.  
JUDGES: Col. Albert Foote, Thomas Mason.  
CH: Hydronium, Judy Landis.

SUMMARIES:  
Lightweight hunters - 1. Hydronium, Judy Landis; 2. Tally Banks, Guy Kauzor; 3. Constant Flier, Terry Telander; 4. Cloud Nine, Cheri Rude.  
Middle & heavyweight hunters - 1. Tradewinds, Noonie Kitzing; 2. Real Easy, William Albright; 3. Outpost, Ruthann Titch; 4. U. S. Bond, Mrs. H. H. Cobb, Jr.  
Ladies hunters - 1. Hydronium; 2. Chesterfield, Marilyn Koch; 3. Moby Dick, Stanley Luek; 4. Epernay, Beau Cellini.  
Oak Brook challenge trophy for open hunters - 1. Hydronium; 2. Gallant Rogue, Wayne Smith; 3. Moby Dick; 4. Real Easy.  
Junior hunt cup - 1. Chesterfield; 2. Sock Hop, Cissy Mohlman.  
Hunt teams - 1. Tally Banks, Gallant Rogue, Key Rose, Oak Brook Hounds.  
Junior hunt teams - 1. Chesterfield, Outpost, Sock Hop.

### GENESEE VALLEY

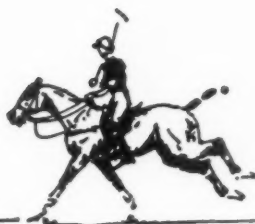
CORRESPONDENT: Mike Kelley.  
PLACE: Genesee, N. Y.  
TIME: Oct. 13.  
JUDGES: Col. & Mrs. C. C. Jadwin, Capt. Gyula Nadasy, Maj. Anthony Rethy, William M. Summer, Maj. Charles Volko.  
SENIOR CH: Judith, Franz Stone.  
RES: Hoodwink, Franz Stone.  
JUNIOR CH: Red Wing, Carolyn Carson.  
RES: Just Psychic, Stirlin Harris.  
SUMMARIES:  
Senior div - 1. Judith, Franz Stone, 599.6; 2. Hoodwink, Franz Stone, 560.2; 3. Darktown, Stirlin Harris, 544.5; 4. Captain Nemo, Ted Russell, 532.2.  
Junior div. - 1. Red Wing, Carolyn Carson, 520.1; 2. Just Psychic, Stirlin Harris, 493.3; 3. Debutante, Patti Joynit, 406.8.

### CHAGRIN VALLEY

CORRESPONDENT: Debby Williams.  
PLACE: Gates Mills, Ohio.  
TIME: Oct. 20.  
JUDGES: Mr. & Mrs. Paul R. Fout.  
SUMMARIES:  
Open working hunters - 1. Holladay, Carol Sogg; 2. Sky's Holliday, Sally Griesinger; 3. Chorus Girl, Robert H. Bishop, III; 4. Fancy Free, Barbara Jane Griffiths.  
Limit horsemanship over fences - 1. Harman F. McBride; 2. Nancy Downer; 3. Janet Hickock; 4. Cyrus Eaton, III.  
Pairs of hunters - 1. Country Girl, Marilyn Stern, Fancy Free; 2. Venture, Harman W. McBride, Co-Pilot, Steve Jones; 3. Holladay, Skyline, Susy Sogg.  
Limit backs, horses or ponies - 1. Sticky Gold, Janet Hickock; 2. Jeannie, Gregory Poore; 3. Rack-a-Jack, Nancy Bigler; 4. Cybele, Nancy Downer.  
Gentlemen's hunters - 1. The Sky, Hunting Hill; 2. Chorus Girl; 3. Co-Pilot; 4. Quiet Please, Hunting Hill.  
Ladies' hunters - 1. Sunset, Joan Mishler; 2. Sky's Holliday; 3. Holladay; 4. Mucktar, Mrs. Howard F. Stira.  
Limit ponies or hunters over fences - 1. Mint Chip, Marcia Williams; 2. Cybele; 3. Sticky Gold; 4. Blue Boy, Harman F. McBride.  
Foxhunter's class, Hunger Hill award - 1. Fancy Free; 2. Irish Flag, Debbie Williams; 3. Patrick O-D, M. V. Villas, Jr.; 4. Quiet Please.  
Hounds' Hill junior hunt trophy - 1. Wisecrack, Molly O'Neill; 2. Skyline; 3. Hunting Charm, Marilyn Sierra; 4. Holladay.  
The Master's trophy - 1. The Sky; 2. Gold Coin, Jean Hower; 3. Chorus Girl; 4. Gaelic Knight, Penny Schuler.  
Teams of three hunters - 1. Secret Wire, Mrs. Henry Greenberg, Sunset, Irish Flag, Clark Seelye; 2. Quiet Please, Fancy Free, Country Girl; 3. Bigeno, Gene Mische, Ragmop, Hunting Hill, Spanish Pal, Pat Perry; 4. Holladay, Skyline, Patrock O-D.



# P O L O



## British Polo Season

W. Holden White

London - Polo-wise, meaning the playing thereof, this has been a very good season here in Britain, but when one looks at the player side of it there are dark shadows, the casualty list is enormous. In close to fifty years we have never known the like of it.

Just look at the list:

Gerald Balding - dead from jaundice and a gall-bladder operation; John Lakin - currently still in Midhurst Sanatorium with a small spot on his lung; Harold Freeborn (Master of Cowdray Horse) - they are still taking pints of fluid off the hip he hurt in a fall the last game of the season; Lord David Brecknock - still walking around with his arm in a sling following a bad fall; Maj. Jack Robinson - with a bad neck following a fall, still unable to ride; Tony Gracida - still recuperating from hitting a goal post; Andre de Gannay - his thumb still in plaster from stopping a ball with it; The Maharajah of Jaipur - still limping about on the foot he broke months ago; Charlie Smith-Ryland - England's best hopeful since the war sits on a couch with thrombosis in a leg.

That is enough of a list but not all inclusive as there are a few more walking and manoeuvring around in a delicate fashion.

The real, REAL big blow is Gerald Balding. Busy with his training he has not played a lot this year or last. But that is not the important fact. Whether playing or not Gerald always boosted polo and the young players. It was not only his help but his enthusiasm. In the middle of saddling a race horse in the paddock he would take the time to say something about polo to a present enthusiast or, for that matter, an old player. He is a great, great loss to the game of polo the world over. Having played with and against him for thirty years that may sound like a purely personal statement, but from the words and letters all around here it has verification.

The situation with John Lakin and his lung as well as young Charlie Smith-Ryland and his leg thrombosis is nowhere near settled. Either or both might come back into play or they might not. These two plus Humphrey Guinness and Balding were the hope of a representative British Polo team. Now wonderful 55 year-old Humphrey Guinness is the only one left still in the saddle. If Lakin and Smith-Ryland never play again, English players cannot

raise more than a 12 goal team. That is looking at the worst side of it.

Great, great, old battling Humphrey. Since he first appeared on the big field at Meadow Brook back in 1927 we have watched him. He has played some brilliant games through the years but never a more subtly super one than against Elly de Roschild's hot side in the final of the Cowdray Gold Cup this year. With Elly at No. 1, the team was "loaded" behind with Tony Gracida at No. 2, Juan Rodriguez at No. 3, and Domecq the sound, good Spaniard at Back.

Against them was Windsor Park with the young Argentine Goni in an unaccustomed No. 1 spot; Tico Lalor, Guinness, and Prince Phillip filling out the side. You could get any money or odds you wanted they would get licked - the other team had both pony and playing superiority.

Guinness chopped the other team to pieces. We have seen dear old Humphrey hit longer on some days, but on this day he never made a wrong move and every shot was perfect to someone. He continuously had the opposition "on the wrong leg" as they say in tennis. To top this he had Goni, Lalor, and Prince Phillip playing over their heads because he was giving them so much opportunity. They romped to victory in a grand match but, as the advertisement says, "my goodness, my Guinness".

In the high goal stuff here the Indian team, after flashes of brilliance never, never seemed to work. During a fantastic dry spell when the fields were hard and should have suited them "down to the ground" even then they only went well at times. Bothered by his broken foot "Jai"

(The Maharajah of Jaipur) only showed flashes of his great ability and brilliance. At No. 3, Hanut Singh would have a good day then a bad one. His son Bijai Singh was unquestionably the best player on the team. This young man can hit and go. Kishen Singh up at No. 1 was a hard worker, a sound player, but always seemed to have pony trouble.

In the medium of 12 goal tournaments the team of the 1957 season was Mediu Luna the young Argentine four. Headed by John Nelson the son of the famous Jack Nelson and with Goni, Eduardo Reynal and Luis Nelson in back of him, these kids swept the two big 12-goal tournaments. That means they won the Windsor Cup at Windsor and the age-old County Cup. Except for one exhibition match they were unbeaten. Beautifully mounted (all their ponies have been sold here) they went like furies and though not longhitters they were quick in passing the ball and never let up in offensive. At 24 years old Goni was the oldest and the rest far younger. It was great to see young players for a change and ones which obviously had been schooled right.

The second best 12-goal team - and remember here 90% of polo is of that handicap - was the Cirencester Park team. The did not win many tournaments but they were always right up there making trouble and were a continuous joy to watch. This was Raymond Barrow (Joint Master of the Heythrop), Bryan Bethell, Col. Tony McConnell, and Hon. George Bathurst. Tony McConnell, who learned his polo in India and is coach as well as manager at Cirencester Polo Club, had really drilled this team and it was a team. They all admitted they had benefited so much from the season Harry East had spent with them. (Note to Harry: the proof of your pudding came out in the eating this year)

Polo Cottage beat the above side in a hectic match for the big Smith's Lawn Cup at Windsor when ponies told in the last couple of periods, but Cirencester Park next year will be something to reckon with.

It has been an interesting season and polo here is still far from dead. Some young ones are coming along like Lord Patrick Beresford, Ronnie Ferguson at Windsor, Paul Withers at Cowdray, and a few others.

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But a memory of this 1957 season will always stick in our crop as a problem. It happened at Cirencester and Prince Phillip did the deed.

Prince Phillip was 20 yards out from goal and it looked a "sitter". He hits the ball hard and he is accurate. It looked a sure goal. The ball hit the goal post - blasted the lath insides of the post and buried itself inside. From the far reaches of home polo to the ranches of Wyoming and Texas we have seen some funny things happen but we never saw this before. I should add Prince Phillip in carrying on with his shot then knocked the goal post flat.

The post - hence with the ball inside it - fell INTO the field. Had the ball gone over the back line should the other team hit in? Was it a goal? How do the umpires operate from there in the way of a decision?

## Brandywine Polo

Bill Phillips

On Wed. Aug. 21, Brandywine Polo Club chalked up its 11th win of the season against Blind Brook P. C. The Brandywiners increased their first period 2-goal margin by one marker in each of the following periods to record the 14-9 victory. With 5 goals apiece, George (Frolic) Weymouth and Col. Howard Fair shared scoring honors while the Purchase N. Y. poloists Adie Von Gontard and Randy Crawford, III, each maced 4.

Brandywine	Blind Brook
1. E. King, Jr.	T. Glynn
2. G. Weymouth	A. Von Gontard
3. H. Fair	R. Crawford
Brandywine	4 3 3 4 14
Blind Brook	2 2 2 3 9

Scoring: Brandywine - King, Jr. 4, Weymouth 5, Fair 5, Blind Brook - Glynn 1, Von Gontard 4, Crawford 4.

In the preliminary Preston King paced Newark with 4 goals to a 9-6 win over the All-Stars.

Sunday, Aug. 25 - Rainout.

In a benefit doubleheader sponsored by the Tall Cedars of Lebanon for their Muscular Dystrophy Research Fund on Aug. 28, Merchantville upset the All-Stars, 11-6, in the 8 p.m. opener and Brandywine bested Mt. Carmel of Conn., 10-7, in the windup feature.

The scoring in the closely contested nightcap was never more than 1 goal apart until the final period when Col. Howard Fair, who knotted the count at 6-6 for Brandywine at the end of the 3rd chukker, rifled a 20 yd. tie-breaker and Everett King, Jr. tallied twice to lead the Conn. trio 9-6. Billy Whitehead, salvaging high-scorer for the visitors, connected with his 6th marker and as the clock ran out a pony goal 1 for the home team to total the 10-7 win.

Brandywine	Mt. Carmel
1. E. King, Jr.	F. Butterworth, Jr.

2. G. Weymouth	W. Whitehead
3. H. Fair	M. Poutiatine
Brandywine	1 3 2 4 10
Mt. Carmel	0 3 3 1 7

Scoring: Brandywine - King, Jr. 3, Weymouth 3, Fair 3, 1 pony goal. Mt. Carmel - Butterworth 1, Whitehead 6.

While holding Wilmington scoreless in the first half, in the initial game of a best-of-three series, on Sept. 1, Brandywine tallied single counters in each of the first three periods and scored on to card a 7-5 win to offset a 5-goal, second half bid by the Delaware trio.

Brandywine	Wilmington
1. W. Prickett, Jr.	J. Torello
2. G. Weymouth	N. Taylor
3. H. Fair	L. Phillips
4. T. Chance	E. Stewart
Brandywine	1 1 1 2 2 0 7
Wilmington	0 0 0 2 1 2 5

Scoring: Brandywine - Prickett, Jr. 1, Weymouth 4, Fair 1, Chance 1. Wilm. - Torello 1, Taylor 3, Stewart 1.

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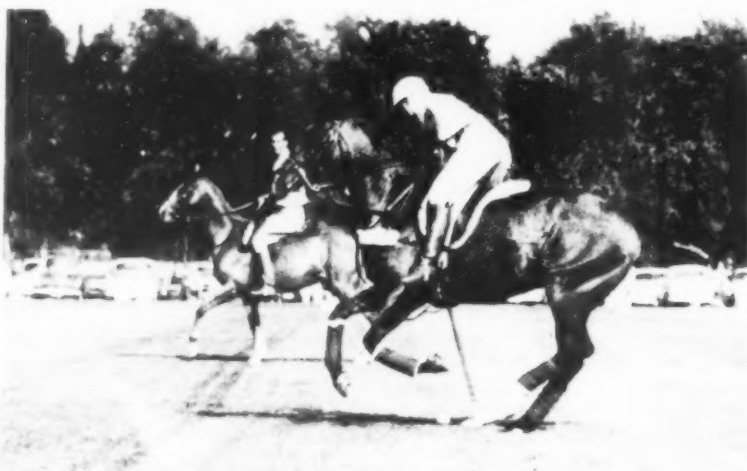
of their 3-game series, 9-5. The Wilmington win snapped Brandywine's four game streak and evened the series at 1-all. Outstanding defensive action by Wilmington's Lyle Phillips and Deryl Calder limited their opponents' scoring to the 3rd and 4th chukkers.

Brandywine	Wilmington
1. J. Torello	W. Frickett, Jr.
2. G. Weymouth	N. Taylor
3. M. Poutiatine	L. Phillips
4. H. Williams	D. Calder
Wilmington	3 1 2 0 1 2 9
Brandywine	0 0 1 4 0 0 5

Scoring: Wilmington - Taylor 5, Phillips 1, Calder 3, Brandywine - Weymouth 2, Williams 3.

In the doubleheader feature on Sept. 11 Brandywine routed Blind Brook, 13-3, for their 15th seasonal decision. Norm Taylor paced the win with 5 markers.

Wilmington downed Newark 8-6 in the opener with Col. Howard Fair showing the way with 6 goals.



Paul Butler, Captain and sponsor of the Oak Brook Polo Team, making an off-side forward shot in a match at the Oak Brook Polo Club. Umpire Stan Taylor in the background. (Gazarek Photo)

In the curtain-raiser on Sept. 4, Deryl Calder lofted a tie-breaking tally to give Newark a 9-8 edge over the All-Stars. Additional markers by Bill Prickett, Jr. and Calder clinched the 11-8 victory for the Delaware riders.

Brandywine 12-Sed Mahoning Valley P.C. of Youngstown, Ohio, in the twi-night feature for their fourth straight win in which each of the Pennsylvanians tallied 4 goals apiece.

Brandywine	Mahoning Valley
1. H. Williams	J. Botak
2. G. Weymouth	J. Zedaker
3. N. Taylor	E. Roberts
Brandywine	4 2 2 4 12
Mahoning Valley	1 2 1 1 5

Scoring: Brandywine - Williams 4, Weymouth 4, Taylor 4. Mahoning - Zedaker 3, Roberts 2.

On Sept. 8, Wilmington blanked Brandywine for 4 periods to take the second match

Brandywine	Blind Brook
1. G. Weymouth	E. Feick
2. N. Taylor	T. Glynn
3. L. Phillips	B. Westerlund
Brandywine	4 0 5 4 13
Blind Brook	1 1 0 1 3

Scoring: Brandywine - Weymouth 4, Taylor 5, Phillips 4. Blind Brook - Feick 1, Westerlund 2.

On Sept. 12 the Yale and Princeton Alumni Clubs of Delaware combined to sponsor an afternoon family outing at Brandywine Polo Grounds. Gates opened at 11:30 a.m. for picnics, baseball and stable inspections. At 2:30 the Avondale Avengers nipped the Terrible Terriers 2-0 in bicycle polo.

Highlighting the afternoon's activities at 3 p.m. was a polo match which paired teams that included alumni and undergraduates of the sponsoring Universities.

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## Ruth Matthews Guitar (1896-1957)

### Short Story of Her Life

M. Louise Evans

When Mrs. Ruth Matthews Guitar passed away at her home near Warrenton on October 6th, shortly after her 61st birthday, the world that knows sport lost a valued and devoted member.

Mrs. Guitar was born in 1896 at Round Hill, Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Eli Matthews. She moved to Warrenton with her family as a small child, where her father entered business and she grew up.

From the time she was a toddler, Ruth's love of animals and her way with them was outstanding. She started her career in riding on a pet goat. This mount soon was abandoned for a small pony, which with a dog, made the trio well known to Warrenton in a yester-year. She made friends as she went along, with man and beast. No stray animal was ever passed by; no human who needed a word of encouragement or help failed to get it from Ruth.

As a youngster, though a bit older than the rank and file, she rode with the famous Warrenton Junior Hunt and was, as a young woman, often chosen to judge at the equally famous Warrenton Pony Show. Before her marriage, when the well-known Warrenton Country School featured riding, and had many a diplomat's daughter entered, the then Miss Matthews taught riding there. The school had an annual horse show for a number of years, on a Monday following the Gold Cup Races, which were then preceded by the annual Stuyvesant School Horse Show.

In 1928 she was married to James H. Guitar of Columbia, Missouri who also was a horseman, interested especially in saddle horses. Mr. and Mrs. Guitar made their home in Gloucester, Virginia for several years where both were employed, and where both did extensive riding and showing. For another short interim, they were in Washington, D. C., where they ran the Washington Riding and Hunt Club.

They returned to Warrenton in 1933, and bought an old place in the Baldwin's Ridge section of Fauquier County. It soon became a quaint, delightful home. They built a large stable, and continued their work with training and showing horses and judging, often as a team. Mr. Guitar died in 1951.

Through the years Mrs. Guitar became more in demand as a rider and judge. She

was especially adept in judging ponies, and travelled far and wide to look over the junior mounts and their riders. In 1948, she had the honor of judging junior classes at Madison Square Garden.

She became riding instructor at Foxcroft School, Middleburg, in 1942, and here again she taught the daughters of many prominent people the art of riding, and riding well. There, too, Mrs. Guitar staged horse shows and various other activities having to do with her work, each to come off with great success. She



Versatile performer, 15-year-old Lynn Holden, who competed in the Dressage classes as well as open working hunter, at the Piping Rock Horse Show. The young rider placed 4th at the Garden in the open working hunter class last year. (Elaine Werner Photo)

remained on the riding staff at Foxcroft until the time of her death.

Long a director of the Warrenton Horse Show, she was elected President in 1955, when the age-old Warrenton organization trembled on the brink of dissolution. It was largely through her extensive acquaintance all over the country, and her untiring work, that the show came off with great success. She was reelected in 1956, and again brought off another successful three-day exhibition which saw and increased number of entries and attendance.

Her funeral service was generally attended and was said to be one of the largest ever seen locally. She had friends from all walks of life and of all colors and creeds. If one happened to walk up the street with Ruth Guitar, there was a

greeting for all she met. Not a nod of the head or a hasty good morning; it was a, "How are you Mr. S...and how is Mrs. S...?" or "Good morning, Mr. B..., did your mare get all right?" She spoke with a cordiality which bespoke the inner depths of her heart and feelings, which showed that to her each person was an individual.

It has been said that there is no one whose place cannot be filled. It may be so, but when Ruth Matthews Guitar found peace she left a place in her family, her community, and in the hearts of countless friends, which will not be filled.



## Pony

## Club

## News

The United States Pony Clubs, Inc. announces that the following new member-clubs have been registered, bringing the total number of member-clubs to sixty.

Bridlespur Pony Club - D. C. and Secretary: Mrs. Clarkson Carpenter, Jr., 35 Brentmoor Park, Clayton 5, Missouri. Bluegrass Pony Club - D. C.: Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Anchorage, Kentucky. Secretary: Miss Nancy Lampton, 1005 Alta Vista, Louisville, Kentucky.

Montpelier Vermont Pony Club - D.C.: Heber G. England, Jones Brothers Company, Barre, Vermont. Secretary: Mrs. Cleon E. Dyke, 113 College Street, Montpelier, Vermont.

Orange County-Middleburg Pony Club - D. C.: Mrs. C. O. Iselin, Middleburg, Virginia. Secretary: Mrs. Paul Fout, Middleburg, Virginia.

## Platte Valley Pony Club

The Platte Valley Pony Club had their annual gymkhana and a most successful rally on Sunday, September 29th. Miss Hildegard Neil from Colorado Springs was the judge, and we were very fortunate in having also Mr. Bill Haggard, of Nashville, Tenn., here for the Three-Day Event.

We divided the children into four divisions, and with the exception of the "Pre-Show" group each division had two classes  
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 requiring horsemanship and one game. Each child rode only one horse and in only one division, suitable to his or her ability. The outstanding class for our advanced division, or "C" riders, was a lovely, long cross country course, over at least a dozen obstacles. There were irrigation ditches, water crossing, steep bank to go up, drop jump and others from substantial telephone poles to post and rails, all around 3' to 3' 6". Emphasis was on hunting pace and manners, and, of course, horsemanship. The results of this class: 1. Pat Walker; 2. Genie Hoag; 3. Suzanne Tamblin; 4. Lyn Robinson.

The judge chose from the advanced division the Platte Valley Pony Club champion, Genie Hoag (14) on Stormy Wilcox; and reserve went to Lyn Robinson (11) on Roulette.

In the afternoon we had open and adult classes and games for friends and parents of Pony Clubbers. One favorite class, the backyard course, consisted of obstacles such as: a set table with chairs, clothes line with plastic raincoats, etc., cot with stuffed dog and doll, fire road markers, tires, barrels, etc. Much to our amazement the horses negotiated these narrow, spooky objects with comparative ease. When we first had this class at our show, several years ago, only a few horses completed the course.

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## Wayne-DuPage Pony Club

The first activity in the spring got off to a good start with the Rally held on May 25th and 26th. We had one good boys' team and five girls' teams and while the boys beat the girls in both cross country and stadium jumping, they lost out in the final number of points by falling flat on their faces, figuratively speaking, in the dressage and written tests - especially the latter! Every little tyke in the Club served on a team as stable swipes and helpers, and needless to say were kept busy by the older members they were serving at the moment.

During August we had three events. First, a gymkhana, held on a very hot Saturday, a lot of fun, racing and games, everyone looking as if they'd been in a Turkish bath. Second, a horse show just for members and judged by Arthur Farwell



The Jumping Jack, Miller's Harness Co. of New York City, has developed a tail-less riding jacket inspired in part by the short white jacket used by General Mariles, Captain of the Mexican Jumping Team. There are two types - one double breasted with small peaked lapels and with inverted pleats on each side and back from the sleeve to the waist, which open in order to give the rider complete freedom of movement. This is used for open jumping in the show ring. A plainer type is for ordinary hacking wear.

of Tryon, N. C. Classes included regular working hunters over a stiff outside course and stadium jumping divided into age groups. The younger children are coming along so rapidly it is hard to realize that some of them who could barely sit a horse last year are now competing in jumping classes.

Third, we had an overnight ride which

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took us to Bangs Bend in St. Charles, not a long ride, probably ten miles, but it entailed fording the Fox River at a point where it is easily 300 ft. wide, but shallow. Twenty-nine children and three adults participated in the ride and about twenty adults appeared at Bangs' beautiful farm to enjoy the pond swimming and the outdoor supper served from the Chuck Wagon. The riders got back Saturday morning at 11 a.m. and at 11:10 the heavens opened up with one of the worst cloudbursts and lightning storms ever to hit here, so luck was indeed in our favor.  
 V. Drexler

## Somerset Hills Pony Club

Sunday, October 13th, proved to be a beautiful sunny day and at 1:00 p.m. the Somerset Hills Pony Club had a Gymkhana and clothing sale at the Essex Fox Hounds Hunt Club for the benefit of the Pony Club.

Winthrop Endicott and Miss Vita Cowperthwaite did a wonderful job of judging.

The first class was a headline, and it was a big success with a total of five entries. The walk trot had 12 entries.

Eight-year-old Terry McNamara rode his big 16.0 hand grey mare, Captains Colleen, to win the walking race out of 17 entries.

Doug Loudon on his chestnut, Buster Boy, was a very frequent winner. He captured the 2nd place in the Egg on Spoon Race which was quite humorous as the eggs were raw. He also was 2nd in the Bareback Class in which he and Gussie Barnard had to change horses.

The Barnard sisters, Bets and Gussie, with their pony Sh-Boom won many prizes. They won the Family Class. Bets was edged out in the Musical Mounting by Diane Harris.  
 C. H.

CORRESPONDENT: Carol Hofmann.

PLACE: Peapack, N. J.

TIME: Oct. 13.

JUDGES: Vita Cowperthwaite, Winthrop Endicott.

SUMMARIES:

Headline - 1. Joy Slater; 2. Peggy Pierrepont; 3. Karen Ely;

4. Kathy Moyer; 5. Susan Tilney.

Walk-trot horsemanship - 1. Diane Harris; 2. Kip Cleland;

3. Bets Barnard; 4. Andy Ford; 5. Witty Alexandre.

Walking race - 1. Captains Colleen, Terry McNamara; 2.

Entry, Bobby Tilney; 3. Jackpot, Nancy Fales.

Saddling race - 1. Doug Loudon; 2. Nancy Fales; 3. Christy

Todd; 4. Faith Heaton.

Egg on spoon race - 1. Sh-Boom, Gussie Barnard; 2.

Buster Boy, Doug Loudon; 3. Entry, Bobby Tilney.

Pair class - 1. Sh-Boom, Jackpot; 2. Buster Boy, Radar,

Michael McNamara; 3. Swipes, Andy Ford, Entry, Diane Harris;

4. Pepper, Christy Todd, Entry, Sally Boynton.

Family class - 1. Barnard Family; 2. Tilney Family; 3.

McNamara Family.

Bareback horsemanship - 1. Gussie Barnard; 2. Doug

Loudon; 3. Faith Heaton; 4. Christy Todd.

Beginners jumping, horsemanship - 1. Faith Heaton; 2.

Bets Barnard; 3. Christy Todd; 4. Diane Harris.

Musical chairs - 1. Diane Harris; 2. Bets Barnard; 3.

Doug Loudon; 4. Faith Heaton.



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## Ancaster Pony Club

The First Inter-Branch Meet of the Ancaster Pony Club, now just two years old, was held on October 5th, at the country home of George C. Logan and Mrs. Rosalie Howell Logan, Carlisle, Ontario, a location adaptable to good outside courses for working hunters and obstacles such as gates to be opened and bars to be lowered.

The standard of horsemanship was high and ably judged by Major Michael Gutowski of Toronto, a visiting commissioner and Test A Examiner of the Canadian Pony Clubs. Major L. J. McGuinness, Branch Representative of the Canadian Pony Club also attended.

The number of riders was considerably depleted by the current flu epidemic, so that instead of the expected 30 horses and riders, we had but 15; however, competition was keen. Turnout and inspection of tack preceded classes and points were scored towards championship. Riders were limited to one horse only throughout.

E. B. H.

CORRESPONDENT: E. B. Holbrook.  
PLACE: Carlisle, Ontario, Can.  
TIME: Oct. 5.  
JUDGE: Maj. Michael Gutowski.  
HORSEMANSHIP CH: Jane Holbrook.  
RES: Bill Holbrook.

SUMMARIES:  
Horsemanship - 1. Jane Holbrook; 2. Bill Holbrook; 3. Gail Whitaker; 4. Malcolm MacGregor.

Equitation, 13 & under - 1. Bill Holbrook; 2. Sherrie Coak; 3. Eric Poole; 4. Norman Braden.

Beginners jumping - 1. Paleface, Malcolm MacGregor; 2. Entry, Louise McMullen; 3. Entry, Jessie Howell; 4. Entry, Susan MacLachlan.

Pleasure hack - 1. Paleface; 2. Entry, Wendy Rodgers; 3. Entry, Jessie Howell; 4. Entry, Jane Holbrook.

Pairs - 1. Gail Whitaker, Louise McMullen; 2. Jane & Bill Holbrook.

Leadline - 1. Sherrie Coak, Eric Poole; 2. Norman Braden, 3. Susan Marshall, Holly Wilcox.

Egg race - 1. Jane Holbrook; 2. Renee Brown; 3. Bill Holbrook; 4. Norman Braden.

Open jumping - 1. Honor Bright, Dora Ann Brazier; 2. Echo, Jane Holbrook; 3. Linda, Louise McMullen; 4. (tied) Entry, Renee Brown, Lady Simcoe, Bill Holbrook.

Open horsemanship - 1. Jane Holbrook; 2. Gail Whitaker; 3. Malcolm MacGregor; 4. Sally Hamilton.

Working hunters - 1. Lady Simcoe; 2. Echo; 3. Entry, Dora Ann Brazier; 4. Entry, Louise McMullen.

Saddling-up race - 1. Bill Holbrook; 2. Norman Braden; 3. Jane Holbrook; 4. Jessie Howell.

Hunt teams - 1. Gail Whitaker, Sally Hamilton, Louise McMullen; 2. Dora Ann Brazier, Renee Brown, Bill Holbrook; 3. Jane Holbrook, Malcolm MacGregor, Susan Marshall.

Pleasure hack, West Park trophy - 1. Malcolm MacGregor.

Open jumping, Whitaker trophy - 1. Dora Ann Brazier.

Open horsemanship, District Commissioners trophy - 1. Jane Holbrook.

Hunt teams, A. V. Young trophy - 1. Gail Whitaker's team.

Championship trophy, perpetual shield - 1. Jane Holbrook, A; 2. Bill Holbrook, C; 3. Gail Whitaker, B; 4. Malcolm MacGregor, C.

## Three Oaks Riding Club

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secty.  
PLACE: Allentown, Pa.

TIME: Oct. 5-6.

JUDGES: Christopher Wadsworth, Mrs. Philip Newman, George Person, Sr.

CHILDREN'S JUMPER CH: Surprise, Nan Carter.

RES: This is It, Ruby Zemo.

CHILDREN'S HUNTER CH: Hot Chocolate, Janice Ballard.

RES: The Surgeon, Ruby Zemo.

HUNTER CH: Constellation, Nan Carter.

RES: April, Sally McNamara.

JUMPER CH: Tarquin Jay, Wissie Mamma.

RES: April, Sally McNamara.

SUMMARIES:

Children's horsemanship - 1. Janice Ballard; 2. Ruby Zemo; 3. Elizabeth Taylor; 4. Nan Carter.

Children's warm-up jumping - 1. Surprise, Nan Carter;

2. Even Money, Sally McNamara; 3. This is It, Ruby Zemo;

4. Tiffany, Nan Carter.

Children's hunter hack - 1. Hot Chocolate, Janice Ballard;

2. Court Fairy, Janie Asplund; 3. Constellation, Nan Carter;

4. The Surgeon, Ruby Zemo.

Children's jumping horsemanship - 1. Holly Fuller; 2. Robin Burns;

3. Roberta Waitz; 4. Ginger Boyce; 5. Carol Benner;

6. Emily Finkelday.

Bareback jumping - 1. Even Money; 2. Surprise; 3. This is It;

4. Court Fairy.

Children's handy hunter - 1. The Surgeon; 2. Hot Chocolate;

3. This is It; 4. April, Sally McNamara.

Knock down & out - 1. Surprise; 2. This is It; 3. The Surgeon;

4. April.

Children's tandem jumping - 1. April, Constellation; 2. The Surgeon;

Hot Chocolate; 3. This is It, Court Fairy; 4. Argentum, Elizabeth Taylor, Tiffany.

Children's jumping horsemanship - 1. Janice Ballard; 2. Nan Carter;

3. Sally McNamara; 4. Ruby Zemo; 5. Betsy Burke; 6. Elizabeth Taylor.

Children's open jumping - 1. This is It; 2. The Surgeon;

3. Surprise.

Children's working hunter, horse or pony - 1. Hot Chocolate;

2. This is It; 3. Mother's Mink, Betsy Burke; 4. Signal Triumph, Carol Hartvet.

Warm-up open jumping - 1. Tarquin Jay, Wissie Mamma;

2. Ferris Wheel, Wissie Mamma; 3. Even Money; 4. Whiz Away, Al Cohen.

Open working hunters in ring - 1. Constellation; 2. Argentum;

3. April; 4. Grey Ghost, Bernie McGovern.

Knock down & out - 1. April; 2. Tarquin Jay; 3. Ferris Wheel;

4. Even Money.

Open jumping - 1. Tarquin Jay; 2. Ferris Wheel; 3. April;

4. Hopewell, Judy Fretz.

Working hunter hack - 1. Hopewell; 2. Constellation; 3.

Argentum; 4. April.

Handy working hunter - 1. April; 2. Hopewell; 3. Constellation;

4. Argentum.

Working hunter stake - 1. Constellation; 2. April; 3. Whiz Away;

4. Argentum.

Jumper stake - 1. Tarquin Jay; 2. April; 3. Ferris Wheel;

4. Even Money.

## Indian Hill

CORRESPONDENT: John R. Deupree.

PLACE: Cincinnati, Ohio.

TIME: Sept. 14.

JUDGES: Mrs. Wickliffe Johnston, Col. T. J. Johnson.

SUMMARIES:

Walk, trot, 7 & under-1. Scott Hamilton; 2. Louise Yeiser;

3. Mike Rich.

Walk, trot, 8-9-1. Craig Ruxton; 2. Penny Heiniken; 3. Jim Devaney.

Beginners horsemanship, div. a-1. Nancy Nagro; 2. Paula Pearce;

3. Poppy Yeiser; div. b-1. Peggy Burns; 2. Margaret Knowles;

3. Gordy Strauss; div. c-1. Judy Hardenbruck; 2. Winnie Unnewehr;

3. Mary Tate.

Intermediate horsemanship-1. Judy Mitchell; 2. Carla Klein;

3. Cricket Harth.

Advanced horsemanship-1. Debbie Pfister; 2. Bonnie Crudgington;

3. Marcy McCaully.

Leadline 6 & under-1. Eric Yeiser.

Beginner jumping, 12 & under-1. Nancy Nagro; 2. Debbie Herschede;

3. Judy Hardenbruck.

Intermediate jumping-1. Marcy McCaully; 2. Cricket Harth;

3. Patricia Chace.

Advanced jumping-1. Lynn Carlisle; 2. Bonnie Crudgington;

3. Jane Hamill.

Green rider-1. Gail Rodgers; 2. Carol DuBois; 3. Bunny Cord.



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## SHOW STORIES

### Canadian Olympic Preparation Trials

The Canadian Olympic Preparation Trials held at General Churchill Mann's View Hulloo Farms, King, Ontario, on Sept. 21st were the second of a series of three for this fall. The trials took the form of a One Day Event designed to encourage both seniors and juniors to participate in this type of competition with a view to developing horses and riders for Canada's next Three Day Event Olympic Team.

The day was a great success with fifteen entries. Although it was overcast in the morning with spitting rain for the dressage, it cleared into a perfectly heavenly day. A lovelier setting could hardly be imagined and was used to the best advantage for the pleasure of spectators. Seats were arranged at the side of the dressage area. Framing the view was a backdrop of a hillside with the lake in the middle distance. The cross-country course, interestingly layed out over the rolling wooded terrain, afforded good visibility of a large number of the obstacles from several hill tops. For spectators who did not want to remain stationary, a special and unique service was provided by three tractor trains. Starting at different times three hay wagons, drawn by tractors, continued to circle the entire route of the course. They stopped at intervals where little steps were set up along the course for easy mounting of the wagons and where the passengers could get off to remain until the next wagon came by to take them farther on the course. An Army Signal Corps operator with a walkie-talkie accompanied each wagon so the driver would know when a rider was approaching and so as not to obstruct his passage and also to keep the passengers informed as to which rider was currently in view, which had

commenced or finished the course, and how each was faring at the different obstacles along the route; walkie-talkie contact being maintained with all jump scorers on the course and the start and finish. The sight seeing tours were great fun, and for the passengers one well packed train load there was an additional thrill of a close view of a huge dog fox who was in no hurry to leave the stubble field where he was encountered, as he was still in view when the wagon dipped into the next gully.

The stadium jumping course, which was colourfully set up on a level strip part way down a hillside beside the start and finish of the cross-country course, again afforded excellent facilities for spectators with ample room at ring side for cars and more room on the top of the hill, which if a little more distant, brought the entire course into focus.

Performances in all three phases were encouraging. There were only two eliminations on the cross-country, both at the second obstacle, a deep trench under a log. Two eliminations also took place in the stadium jumping which was a good Olympic type course.

Brian Herbinson, who won the Pierogrodski Challenge Trophy at the first trials of the season riding Mrs. C. Nelson Smith's Pepper Knowes, this time rode Donald Umphrey's S'no Fair. Again he made the best score in the senior division to take the handsome and unique trophy home again until the next trials. His success with S'no Fair should be one of encouragement to horse owners as it proves a well-broken good mannered horse can do all right on Dressage. S'no Fair indeed qualifies to the well broken part as he is one of the best pleasure hacks in the Province of Ontario, an honest hunter and a regular winner in working hunter classes, but he had only two lessons in dressage before the trials. Despite this most brief specialized schooling he made the top score in dressage with no penalties and 30 bonus points on the cross country and with no faults in the stadium jumping. He received the good score of -3.17 as the total for the combined phases, second place went to Norman Elder riding Toy Ghost, whose combined score was -31.20. A close third with -36.50 was John Rumble riding Mrs. W. H. Hall-Holland's Rex. Fourth place in the senior division was L. C. Scott on Honest Lawyer.

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John Cakebread, Jr. rode Cadmus in most determined fashion to win the junior division with -40.01 which score rated up well with the seniors. Gail Heath was not far behind with a score of -48.90, riding Little Boots. Third was Lyn Kerr on Sugarfoot and Dee Hall-Holland was fourth on Rhubarb. Broadview

### Christiana Lions Club

It looked as though Derbydown Stables, Kennett Square, Pa., would have to enlarge their trophy room after the Christiana Horse Show at which they earned at least 22 ribbons, including seven blues.

Derbydown is operated by Mr. and Mrs. Henry "Buzz" Warner for the training of horses and young riders. The shower of ribbons began at the start of the show when the Warners' six-year-old daughter Mary Wade Warner captured first in the leadline pony class with Toby Ticks. Other riders who brought home blue ribbons for Derbydown were Jane Farquhar, Mary Jane Burrowes, Betsy Bailey, David Burrowes, Susan Worrall, and Beverly Ritter. Miss Worrall also won a first with Cedar, owned by Frances Glover, in the Pleasure Horse class.

Derbydown's St. Nick placed first in open jumping with Miss Worrall in the saddle, and fourth in the knock down and out. Susan had suffered a bad spill and slight concussion at the Paradise (Pa.) show, but was well recovered in time for the Christiana event.

Jerry Frankhouser, twelve, continued a winning streak by placing first in the jumper warm-up and second in open jumping with Town Talk, a pure white horse with a pink nose.

Chief, owned by Mrs. Leon Thompson, Parkesburg, won the local green hunter event with Allen Garner riding. Mr. Topper, owned by Walter Waterson, and ridden by Leon Thompson, captured the local hunters and jumpers event. Then the two horses paired together with the same riders were victorious in the hunter pairs class. M. L. S.

### Oswego Hunt Fall

Unseasonably warm weather for an Oregon September was the rule of the day throughout the Lake Oswego Hunt Club's Fall Horse Show. A kind providence, however, saw to a Sunday morning of brisk grey skies for the annual Hunter Trials.

These trials are a test of endurance for both horse and rider and this year Mr. Dan Creary proved himself to be as fit as his horses by riding both his hunters over the two mile course and capturing the highly coveted C. R. Miller perpetual trophy with his Spanish Hill and placing third on Three Sheets. This gave them almost a clean sweep in the hunter division for the three day show, with Spanish Hill being hunter champion

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## Pennsylvania National

Margaret L. Smith

England's superior equestrian team of Miss Pat Smythe, Miss Dawn Palethorpe, and Ted Williams, swept to victory in the Pennsylvania National Horse Show's International Jumping competition, winning five of the 11 events, and halting the monopoly that Mexico has enjoyed for most of the show's 12-year history.

The United States team of William Steinkraus, captain, Hugh Wiley and Frank Chapot placed a close second, dropping Mexico to a poor third with only half as many points as England.

For the first time at the Pennsylvania National, the American Horse Shows Association presented a challenge trophy to point winners in the International events, to be won five times by the same team for permanent possession. England won the trophy with 103 points; the United States was second with 88, and Mexico, third with 54 points. Ireland, after a slow start, was fourth with 28 points, while the other placings were Argentina, 23; Chile, 11 and Canada, nine.

### England's Brilliant Victory

England had not been here since 1953, when they won a spectacular seven out of eleven events, and Miss Smythe chalked up five personal victories. Her team mates this year are new to competition on this

continent. In 1953, Mexico was absent, so there was some head-shaking in advance of this year's show, and doubts expressed that England could win over Mexico. But the brilliant English team, riding carefully and with excellent form, showed their indisputable superiority, winning the Low Score Event, as well as the championship.

Williams, riding Pegasus, a dappled gray who looks the part of his namesake - arching neck and high action - but seems not to have the speed generally associated with the winged horse, captured the individual jumping championship in a thrilling duel with Hugh Wiley, U. S., aboard Nautical. After each horse jumped faultlessly in two rounds, Pegasus again made the second jump-off without a mistake, but Nautical dropped to second place when he faulted on the third jump in the final round.

Williams also was responsible for England's victory in the second low-score event, a two horse phase, when he rode Pegasus for no fault and Tim for four. Miss Smythe scored another individual victory for England in the preliminary class, riding her sturdy chestnut, Flanagan. While Miss Palethorpe, a petite 21-year-old, did not have an individual victory, she had many clear rounds on her spectacular Earlsrath Rambler, and was responsible to a large extent for England's top point score and other two victories, both team events - the coveted Perpetual Challenge Trophy, and the Gen. Eisenhower trophy class. In the latter, all three English riders had perfect rounds, but a one-quarter time fault was scored by Williams.

The first low score event, riders going singly, was captured by Mexico with faultless performances by Gen. Humberto Mariles on Chihuahua II, Julio Herrera on 14 de Agosto, and Hernan Gutierrez aboard Sonora. The third event was won by U. S. Bill Steinkraus with First Boy and Hugh Wiley with Nautical, both with no faults. England placed second in this phase, with no faults, but lengthier time, and their second team was third with four faults. When the final scores were added up for the Low Score Trophy, it showed England, eight faults; the United States, 12; Mexico, 22 and Chile, 29.

Frank Chapot had the only individual victory for the United States, riding Moon Flight to a speedy 28.1 second faultless finish in the individual open event. The United States' high scoring was racked up by numerous seconds, thirds and fourths, the U. S. riders placing in ten of the 11 events, and scoring two firsts.

Mexico won three firsts, including the first low score, and individual victories by Mariles in the regular Fault and Out and Herrera in the Fault and Out - "as many as you can make in the time limit." But they won few other placings,

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accounting for their much lower final point score.

Mariles suffered severe injury to his ego when his favorite mount, bob-tailed Chihuahua II, dumped him not once, but twice, in the Eisenhower team class. As the cat-like little chestnut reached the final barrier, (the last of three obstacles in a triple in-and-out) he refused, Mariles took him back again over the triple, but the horse refused again at the finale, and ducking, shed his rider lightly. On the third try, Chihuahua did exactly the same thing, ditching Mariles a little harder. The "ebullient" little general was unharmed physically. But the next and final night, Mariles redeemed himself with a perfect round and wrested a third place for Mexico in the Perpetual Challenge class.

The only other individual victory was scored by Lt. William A. Ringrose of Ireland, atop Ballynonty, who won the Biddle trophy for individual jumping after a five-way faultless tie. His team mate, Lt. R. E. Moloney, came in second with Glencree, while Wiley and Chapot of the U. S. were third and fourth.

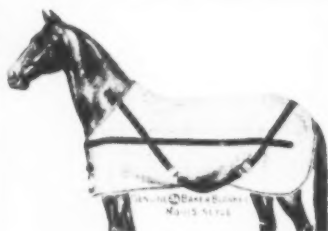
### Irish Have Bad Start

The Irish had started out with a terrible time of it, and Ballynonty especially had been acting "bally-naughty" at first, just as he had last year. It was not until Thursday night that Ireland garnered a single ribbon. By this time, Ballynonty had settled down and decided he liked Harrisburg after all, and from then on the Irish, those popular lads, moved up rapidly. Meanwhile, though, the third Irish team member, Lt. J. P. Daly, had put in several clean rounds, but they were not enough to pull the team out of the hole. When they finally did win, you should have heard the rafters ring - you'd have thought that all the 8000 people there were Irishmen too.

Argentina's team of Pedro Mayorga, his wife, Elena, and Jorge Lucardi, put in many an excellent ride, but couldn't quite make a first. Chile's team of Capt. Leopoldo Rojas, Capt. Cesar Mendoza, and Americo Simonetti, - only 21 years old, and Chile's top civilian rider, - also were near to victory, but lost either in jump-offs or time.

Canada's team of good sportsmen, W. R. Ballard, Captain, Douglas Hood, and Douglas Cudney, did better riding than the scores indicate and are well liked by the crowd, judging by the applause they receive. They almost did not enter a team, for they are all businessmen with not much time to devote to riding. Also, it might be pointed out, you can't do much schooling in Canada over the winter months, unless you have an indoor ring, for it is colt (brrr!) and the ground is hard. But win or lose, they are great sports, and Harrisburg show fans feel they would not want to do without Canada.

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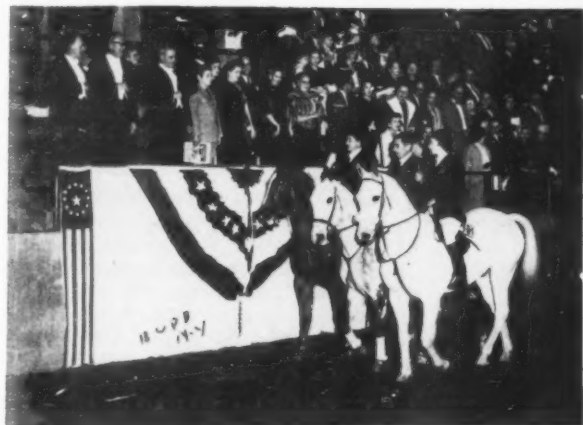
# **Penna. National Horse Show**



Grover Stephens riding Waverly Farm's GARDEN OF EDEN, green conformation hunter champion of the show.  
(Carl Klein Photo)



Owner-rider Peggy Augustus on WAITING HOME, champion conformation hunter at the Penna. National. (Carl Klein Photo)



(Left) - The British Team (Pat Smythe, Ted Williams and Dawn Palethorpe) passing in review at the Penna. National. The British Team won the International Championship and the Low



Score Event Championship. (Budd Photo). (Right) - Linky Smith on Mr. & Mrs. George DiPaula's MISS VIRGINIA, champion jumper of the show. (Carl Klein Photo).



Mary Stollenwerck of Upperco, Md., winner of the A. S. P. C. A. Horsemanship Class.



Owner-rider Jenefer McLean on MONTY D, working hunter champion at the Penna. National, Harrisburg, Pa. (Budd Photo)

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**The Hunter Division**

The hunter divisions of the show read like a "Blue Book" of equine "Society", with hardly an "unknown" among the distinguished list of contenders. Even the youngsters - the green hunters - already had made a name for themselves during the past season, most of them on their first year out.

Peggy Augustus' Waiting Home romped home with the Conformation Hunter championship in what was probably the finest over-all performance in his distinguished career. He won first place in six classes, including the model, (with half-points), the lightweight, the open, the appointments, the ladies and the stake events, skimming beautifully over the jumps with scarcely a touch. Waiting Home also retired the Pennsylvania Steel Challenge trophy, a huge silver tray, having won it previously in 1953 and 1955. His half - brother, Shannondale, who was champion last year, was sidelined this year because of an injury at Fairfield.

Garden of Eden, of Waverly Farms, who has had a spectacular career his first year out, added the green hunter championship at the Pennsylvania National to his long list, which included about a dozen championships this season. The four-year-old was ridden by Grover Stephens to collect 22 1/2 points.

The working hunter championship was won by that handsome pair, Monty D and his owner, Miss Jenepher McLean, who garnered 19 points by placing first in three classes, second in another, and fourth in still another.

The jumper championship, hotly contested with a wide scattering of points, was captured by Miss Virginia, owned by Mr. and Mrs. George DiPaula, Baltimore, and ridden by Linky Smith. The eight-year-old chestnut mare (who looks and acts remarkably like her famed stable-mate Lariat) distinguished herself early in the show by winning the "Sky-Hi" jump, when horses sought to break the 8 foot 13/16 inch record set in 1923 by that famous old horse, Greatheart. At first there were only five entries in the class, but after the rules were amended to let each entry have three tries instead of one at the high jump, and points were added, about 18 horses entered the lists. Miss Virginia soared to a height of six feet, six inches before she had a knock down, the highest she has ever jumped, Linky said. Three horses tied for second, after clearing six feet three inches each. They were Mr. and Mrs. David Kelley's Andante, with Kelley up; Baby's Bond, Margaret Beam, and Wings, W. R. Ballard, with Paddy Farrell in the saddle.

Tense excitement prevailed in the other principal feature, the Pennsylvania "Big Jump", which carried a purse of

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\$6,500, (somewhat less than last year's over \$10,000), but no championship points. Victorious in a jump-off after a three-way faultless tie was 16-year-old Velvet Lassie, famed former National Champion, owned by Mrs. Hubert R. Thomas and piloted skillfully by Max Bonham.

Lassie, who last year stood Max on his head in the same event, this year performed like a lady with ease and grace, and after her first perfect round scored seven faults in the jump-off for the victory. She rang up \$3,250 in the cash register for her owner. Another of Bonham's four mounts in the class, Mrs. William Wright's Blaney Castle, placed seventh, and returned \$162.50.

In second place after a faultless first round was San Joy Farms' Black Hawk, with Chuck Graham in the irons, who made 12 faults on the jump-off and earned \$1,300. In third place was The Clown, ridden by owner Miss Elizabeth Bosley, who after a perfect first round, spilled his rider on the third jump on the jump-off. It looked as though Miss Bosley came right through the jump, a multiple affair but she said later she went over part of it, and emerged over the final section. She said only her pride was hurt, but it was somewhat salvaged by the \$650 she received.

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and Three Sheets taking the reserve spot.

A highlight in the jumper division was provided by The Highlands School of Riding who, this year, have brought out a new green jumper The Sportsman. This impeccably mannered young chestnut shows the promise and ability of the Highland's famed Charcoal, who held the jumper championship of Oregon for so many consecutive years. The Sportsman capably ridden by Mrs. I. M. (Liz) Johnson was jumper champion.

Miss Judy McCormick on her newly acquired Spendthrift, put in some clever rounds to pick up the reserve ribbon.

Footloose

**DRESSAGE EVENTS AT COLOGNE**

All of the leading German Dressage riders and horses were present. Special attraction this year was the "GroBe Schulquadrille". This Quadrille was performed by the twelve leading dressage riders in Germany at present. Initiator was Herr Schultheiss, leading dressage rider and trainer, who since the war has won the dressage championship seven times. The Quadrille included all the movements of the Grand Prix de Dressage. Herr Schultheib had sent, weeks before the show, the general plan and the various movements and figures of this quadrille to the riders in question who had first studied them and then had a few dress rehearsals in Cologne. The final performance was a great sight, looking anything but improvised.

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## Horse Show Summaries

### LAKE OSWEGO HUNT

CORRESPONDENT: Footloose.

PLACE: Oswego, Oregon.

TIME: Sept. 13-15.

JUDGES: C. C. Carpenter, Perce Crowell.

HUNTER CH: Spanish Hill, Dan Creary.

RES: Three Sheets, Mrs. Can Creary.

JUMPER CH: The Sportsman, Highlands School of Riding.

RES: Spendthrift, Judy McCormick.

#### SUMMARIES:

Green hunters - 1. Camden Call, Joanne Herron; 2. Casa Rita, Windolph Farms; 3. Winnett, Rudy Cross; 4. Gambae, Gerry Pearson.

Hunter trials - 1. Spanish Hill, Dan Creary; 2. Winnett; 3. Three Sheets, Mrs. Dan Creary; 4. Phar Rhona, Mrs. Harry Samuels.

Model hunters - 1. Perchene, Dr. George C. Saunders; 2. Spanish Hill; 3. Three Sheets; 4. Harem Wench, Gerry Pearson.

Green working hunters - 1. Camden Call, Joanne Herron; 2. Winnett; 3. Casa Rita; 4. Hi Lite, Freeman Farms.

Open hunters - 1. Trudier, Mrs. Walter H. Hilbruner; 2. Three Sheets; 3. Spanish Hill; 4. Phar Rhona.

Hunters under saddle - 1. Three Sheets; 2. Spanish Hill; 3. Briarcrest, Dr. George C. Saunders; 4. Phar Rhona.

Hunter appointments - 1. Mystery Man, Columbia Riding Academy; 2. Spanish Hill; 3. Trudier; 4. The Footman, Cynthia & Diane Cookingham.

Open working hunters - 1. Winnett; 2. Spanish Hill; 3. Trudier; 4. Casa Rita.

Hunt seat medal class - 1. Donna Landye; 2. Barbra Hallinan; 3. Freddy Fague; 4. Joanne Herron.

Green jumpers - 1. Boston Lady, Bill O'Connell; 2. The Sportsman; 3. Hi Lite; 4. Camden Call.

Open jumpers - 1. The Sportsman, 2. Plenty, Dan Creary; 3. Pete's Sake, Audrey Hansen; 4. Spendthrift.

Handy jumpers - 1. Spendthrift; 2. Ridge Runner, Mrs. Robert Ferry; 3. Brigadoon, Mrs. J. W. Purcell; 4. Hi Lite.

FEI modified - 1. Shamrock, Mrs. J. W. Purcell; 2. Captain Dynamite, Weylin Meyers; 3. Plenty; 4. Great Scott, Joan Long; Brigadoon; Sleepy Moon, Nichol Riding Academy.

### LANCASTER FALL

CORRESPONDENT: Margaret L. Smith.

TIME: Oct. 13.

PLACE: Lancaster, Pa.

JUDGES: John A. Bogar, George Person Jr.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Cloudy Weather, Camp Conrad Weiser.

RES: Second Choice, Beverly Armstrong.

JUMPER CH: Mr. Midnight, J. Ray Patterson.

RES: Major, R. B. Snyder.

#### SUMMARIES:

Jumpers warm-up-1. Mr. Midnight, J. Ray Patterson; 2. King of Diamonds, Lillian Wittmack-Roy; 3. Esprit de Nuit, Lillian Wittmack-Roy; 4. Coalie, Owen L. Jones.

Leadline ponies-1. Ginger, Susan Farver, rider; Debbie's Pride, Deborah Petters; 3. Little Gypsy, Billy Sterling.

Novice working hunters-1. Cloudy Weather, Camp Conrad Weiser; 2. Spanish Gold, Mae Biffert; 3. Ten Knots, Irvin Auman; 4. Big Red, Camp Conrad Weiser.

Children's equitation, 12 yrs and under, hunter seat-1. Ed Trexler; 2. Billy Sterling.

Children's equitation, 13 to 18 years, hunter seat-1. John R. Sterling Jr.; 2. Barry Bandel; 3. Tommy Metz; 4. Beverly Armstrong.

Hunter hacks-1. Cloudy Weather; 2. Margal, R. M. Snare; 3. Second Choice; 4. Ten Knots.

Knockdown and out-1. Mr. Midnight; 2. Johnny Specks, J. Ray Patterson; 3. Frosty Morning, R. B. Snyder; 4. King of Diamonds.

Open working hunters-1. Second Choice; 2. Johnny Specks; 3. Cracker Jack, Irvin Auman; 4. Cloudy Weather.

Open jumping-1. Major, R. B. Snyder; 2. Midnight; 3. Coalie; 4. Johnny Specks.

### DELAWARE COUNTY

CORRESPONDENT: Fencepost

PLACE: Newtown Square, Pa.

TIME: Sept. 13-15.

JUDGES: Christopher Wadsworth, John J. Burkholder, Thomas J. Hamilton.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Chappaqua, Mr. & Mrs. Henry D. Paxson.

RES: Atom Power, Sydney Gadd.

JUMPER CH: Jayber, H. C. Baldwin, III.

RES: Tarquin Jay, Wissie Mumma.

GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Stockbridge, Mrs. Neil Phillips.

RES: Whigmalleiere, Lani Logan.

GREEN HUNTER CH: Came Across, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Burke.

RES: Brad, Ruth Van Sciver.

PONY CH: Sweet Timothy, Debbie Buchanan.

RES: Coupon, Mimi Cummin.

CHILDREN'S HUNTER CH: Hot Chocolate, Janice Ballard.

RES: This Is It, Creekside Stables.

EQUITATION CH: Joannah Hall.

RES: Wendy Wanamaker.

Novice hunters, ponies - 1. Peanut Brittle, Mimi Cummin; 2. Red Feather, Louise Kelley; 3. Wizard of Oz, Leelle Godshalk; 4. Quaker Lad, Leslee Baldinger.

Novice hunters, horses - 1. Spring Fever, Clonnel Farm; 2. Patient Maid, Penny Greiner; 3. War Sprite, Sydney Smith; 4. Irish Hope, Frank Harvey.

Novice jumping horsemanship - 1. Mimi Cummin; 2. Leelle Godshalk; 3. Louise Kelley; 4. Beverly Armstrong.

Model hunters, ponies - 1. Dublin Kid, Jeneper McLean; 2. Coupon, Mimi Cummin; 3. Peanut Brittle, Mimi Cummin; 4. Bittersweet, Sydney Smith.

Model hunters, horses - 1. Pugilistic, Mary Oakes Skinner; 2. Brave War, Wendy Wanamaker; 3. This Is It, Creekside Stables; 4. Coronzo, Crum Creek Farm.

Pony working hunter - 1. Wizard of Oz; 2. Sweet Timothy, Debbie Buchanan; 3. Quaker Lad; 4. Bittersweet.

Children's open working hunter, horses - 1. Brave War; 2. Hot Chocolate, Janice Ballard; 3. Irish Hope; 4. Tournament's Beau, Patricia Skinner.

ASPCA horsemanship - 1. Mary Oakes Skinner; 2. Patricia Skinner; 3. Janice Ballard; 4. Sydney Smith.

Children's horsemanship - 1. Janice Ballard; 2. Patricia Skinner; 3. Wendy Wanamaker; 4. Ruby Zemo.

Children's corinthian working hunter, horses - 1. June Bride, Betsy Lockhart; 2. Brave War; 3. Mini-Maid, Rebel Fox Farm; 4. War Sprite.

Children's jumping horsemanship - 1. Joannah Hall; 2. Janice Ballard; 3. Nan Carter; 4. Linda Eberhardt.

Pony hunters under saddle - 1. Bittersweet; 2. Sweet Timothy; 3. Miles River Supreme Sonny, Maurice Cannon.

Children's hunter under saddle - 1. Hot Chocolate; 2. Firethorn, Lynn Elkins; 3. Brave War; 4. June Bride.

Children's hunter pairs - 1. Coupon, Mousie, Christy West; 2. Hoe Cake, Linda Eberhardt, Constellation, Nan Carter; 3. Sweet Timothy, Coronzo; 4. Dauna, Nancy Baldinger, Quaker Lad.

Break & out - 1. Hot Chocolate; 2. Grey Dawn, Anne Louise Overly; 3. Quaker Lad; 4. Irish Hope.

Children's horsemanship, novice - 1. Lance Kelley; 2. Lynne Wanner; 3. Penny Greiner; 4. Leelle Godshalk.

Children's horsemanship, novice, under 13 - 1. Louise Kelley; 2. Connie Barnes; 3. Lynne Wanner; 4. Leslee Baldinger.

Pony Club class, horses - 1. War Sprite; 2. Brave War; 3. True Maid, Rebel Fox Farm; 4. Dauna.

Pony Club class, ponies - 1. Coupon; 2. Red Feather; 3. Sweet Timothy; 4. Dark Danger, Lynda Overly.

Children's pleasure horse - 1. Bittersweet; 2. Irish Hope; 3. Country Girl, Stephanie Strubbing; 4. Lively Talk, Suzanne

Stryer.

Junior hunt teams - 1. Coupon, Mousie, Steel Jacket; 2. Sweet Timothy, Bittersweet, Coronzo.

Pony handy hunter - 1. Sweet Timothy; 2. Mousie; 3. Suits Me, Mimi Cummin; 4. Bittersweet.

Children's handy working hunter, horses - 1. The Surgeon, Creekside Stables; 2. Hot Chocolate; 3. June Bride; 4. This Is It.

AHS, medal class, hunting seat - 1. Janice Ballard; 2. Betsy Lockhart; 3. Patricia Skinner; 4. Christy West.

Children's working hunter stake, horses - 1. This Is It; 2. War Sprite; 3. Mini-Maid; 4. June Bride.

FEI modified olympic event, ponies - 1. Blue Jeans, Pattie Grace; 2. Sweet Timothy; 3. Coupon; 4. Suits Me.

FEI modified olympic event, horses - 1. This Is It; 2. Mini-Maid; 4. Hot Chocolate.

Pony hunter stake - 1. Covert Boy; 2. Blue Jeans; 3. Mousie; 4. Steel Jacket; 5. Dark Danger; 6. Sweet Timothy.

Novice green working hunter-1. Whigmalleiere, Lani Logan; 2. Stockbridge, Mrs. Neil Phillips; 3. The Surgeon; 4. Separator, Mrs. A. Neville.

Novice green hunter - 1. Brad, Ruth Van Sciver; 2. True Maid; 3. Ripshot, Dr. & Mrs. G. F. Oppenlander.

In & out - 1. Jayber, H. C. Baldwin, 3rd; 2. War Thane, Clover Hill Farm; 3. Tarquin Jay, Wissie Mumma; 4. Bright Eyes, Mrs. E. T. Hirst.

Green working hunter hack - 1. Alta's Bomb, Mrs. H. B. Nonemaker; 2. Stockbridge; 3. Whigmalleiere; 4. Entry.

Amateur working hunters - 1. Atom Power, Sydney Gadd; 2. Edgewood, Raymond Herbert; 3. Chappaqua, Mr. & Mrs. H. D. Paxson; 4. Scandal, Mrs. Catherine Pancoast.

Knock down & out - 1. Jayber; 2. Tarquin Jay; 3. Extinguisher, Lois Nonemaker; 4. Town Talk, Willis Frankhouser.

Green hunters under saddle - 1. Brad; 2. Came Across; 3. Maui Blue, Shelley Warwick; 4. Eternal Wings, Joan Ferguson.

Working hunters appointments class - 1. Chappaqua; 2. Monty, D. Jeneper McLean; 3. Atom Power; 4. Far North, Valley Forge Farm.

Lady's green working hunter - 1. Stockbridge; 2. Sea Flare, Dr. Rife Gingerich; 3. Whigmalleiere; 4. Separator.

Sgt. Joe challenge trophy for open jumpers - 1. Cassadol, Dr. M. Phyllis Lose; 2. Bright Eyes; 3. Extinguisher; 4. Tarquin Jay.

Model green hunters - 1. Came Across; 2. Brad; 3. Maui Blue.

Working hunter hack - 1. Monty D; 2. Chappaqua; 3. Atom Power; 4. Woodlark, Russell Stoughton.

Open green working hunters - 1. Even Seven, Mrs. Henry C. Biddle, Jr.; 2. Stockbridge; 3. Whigmalleiere; 4. Sea

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### Flare.

Lady's green hunter - 1. Ripshot; 2. Eternal Wings; 3. Came Across; 4. Brad.  
Open working hunters - 1. Woodlark; 2. This Is It; 3. Over Timber, Mr. & Mrs. Harry R. Gill; 4. Quick Trade, Sally Liversidge.  
PHA open jumper trophy - 1. Jayber; 2. Bright Eyes; 3. Tarquin Jay; 4. Maybe, William Douglas.  
Leadline ponies - 1. Lewis Strube, Jr.; 2. Champ, Susan Shields; 3. Entry, Mimi Cummin.  
Ladies working hunters - 1. Gold Garter, Barbara Smith; 2. Edgewood; 3. Irish Warrior, Irl A. Daffin; 4. Scandal.  
Open green hunters - 1. Came Across; 2. Eternal Wings; 3. Ripshot; 4. Brad.  
Handy hunters - 1. Chappaqua; 2. Over Timber; 3. Scandal; 4. Sprite, Walter Stokes.  
Green working hunter stake - 1. Sea Flare; 2. Whigmalleire; 3. Even Steven; 4. Lillibuck, Andrew Lewis.  
FEI jumpers - 1. Tarquin Jay; 2. Mr. Midnight, J. Ray Paterson; 3. War Thane; 4. Extinguisher.  
Green hunter stake - 1. Came Across; 2. Brad; 3. Eternal Wings; 4. Ripshot.  
Open hunter stake - 1. Atom Power; 2. Woodlark; 3. Irish Warrior; 4. Monty D.  
Open jumper stake & Cassadol challenge trophy - 1. Jayber; 2. War Thane; 3. Maybe; 4. Tarquin Jay.

### CHRISTIANA LIONS CLUB

CORRESPONDENT: Margaret L. Smith.  
PLACE: Christiana, Pa.  
TIME: Sept. 21.  
JUDGES: H. C. Baldwin, Robert M. Tindle.

### Owen Jones.

Open jumping - 1. St. Nick; 2. Town Talk; 3. Any Time Bud Evans; 4. So Big, Floyd Carr.  
Working hunter - 1. Redwood, Derbydown Stables; 2. Apache Flame; 3. Whodunit; 4. Sadsbury.  
Hunter pairs - 1. Chief, Mr. Topper; 2. Whodunit, Fortune; 3. Betty, Becky Baker, Coalie; 4. Gambler's Chance, John Weir, Spricky.

### BROWN LEA FARMS

CORRESPONDENT: Broadview.  
PLACE: Milliken, Ont., Can.  
TIME: Oct. 12.  
JUDGE: John Murdoch.  
OPEN CH: Yankee Wonder, Robert Elder.  
RES: The Whip, Robert Elder.  
JUNIOR CH: Twilight, Martha West.  
RES: (tied) Dogwood, Gordon Walker, Lee, Susan Thompson.  
SUMMARIES:  
Junior jumper - 1. Dogwood, Gordon Walker; 2. Dawn, Gail Stibbard; 3. Lee, Susan Thompson; 4. Vanguard, Gary Burman.  
Novice equitation - 1. Martha West; 2. Jean Thomas; 3. David Shortill; 4. Norah Bladen.  
Junior working hunter - 1. Twilight, Martha West, Randal; 2. Lucy & Bob Roy, Jane Holbrook; 3. Dawn, Sunrise, David Shortill; 4. Snowball, Pene Umphrey, Zev, Penny Alexander.  
Open equitation, 14-18 yrs. - 1. David Shortill; 2. Martha West; 3. Pene Umphrey; 4. Penny Robertson.  
Open equitation under 14 yrs - 1. Bill Holbrook; 2. Susan Scott; 3. Leslie Betts; 4. June Craddock.  
Warm-up jumpers - 1. Yankee Wonder, Robert Elder; 2. Son Rocket, Dick Day; 3. The Whip, Robert Elder; 4. Indecision, Melvin Stone.  
Pleasure hack - 1. Little Coquette, Penny Robertson; 2. Saracen, M. Monahan; 3. Red Wing, Bill Robertson; 4. Royal Mark, Norah Bladen.

### 3. Nell, Frank Bell; 4. Nancy, Frank Bell.

Foals of 1957, Thoroughbred - 1. Unnamed, Fairview Farms; 2. Harmony Miss, Block House Farm; 3. Unnamed, Block House Farm; 4. Ripronia, Fox Covert Farm.  
Foals of 1957, other than Thoroughbred - 1. Unnamed, Frank Bell; 2. Unnamed, Frank Bell; 3. Unnamed, Frank Bell.

Mares who have not had a foal, Thoroughbred - 1. Ultimate Folly, Cotton Patch; 2. Hyderabad, Block House Farm; 3. Sheffield, Beck Harper; 4. Midge R, Cotton Patch.

Mares who have not had a foal, other than Thoroughbred - 1. Redwood, Block House Farm; 2. Compass Rose, Fairview Farms; 3. Sugarbush, Mr. & Mrs. Ernat Mahler, Jr.

Yearlings, Thoroughbred - 1. Blue Bound, Mrs. George Webster; 2. Mas-a-bit, Fairview Farms; 3. Atlantic Commander, Fairview Farms; 4. Candiopolis, Frank Bell.  
Yearlings, other than Thoroughbred - 1. Unnamed, Lee Cowan; 2. Unnamed, Frank Bell; 3. Tiger-Higier, Lee Cowan.

2-yr-olds, Thoroughbred - 1. Royal Game, Cotton Patch; 2. Unnamed, Estate of Jack McKnight; 3. Fiddlers Miss, Fairview Farms; 4. Tanas Farcy, Chiquapin Farm.

2-yr-olds, other than Thoroughbred - 1. Unnamed, Fairview Farms; 2. Road to Morocco, Block House Farm.  
3-yr-olds, Thoroughbreds and others - 1. Gold Colony, Cotton Patch; 2. Colony Miss, Block House Farm; 3. Gold Brick, Cary Page.

Green hunter, shown in hand - 1. Arrans Isle, Block House Farm; 2. Gold Colony; 3. Colony Miss; 4. Gold Brick.  
Suitable to become hunters, walk, trot & canter - 1. Arrans Isle; 2. Gold Brick; 3. Gold Colony; 4. Lady Albart, Mrs. Frank Bell.

Green hunters, over fences - 1. Arrans Isle; 2. Colony Miss; 3. Bargetoter, Chiquapin Farm; 4. Gold Brick.



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### SUMMARIES:

Local children's ponies - 1. Lightning, Bruce Latshaw; 2. Little Hunter, Steven Hill; 3. Silver, Andrea Gilbert; 4. Junior, Charles Lantz.  
Leadline pony - 1. Toby Ticks, Mary Wade Warner; 2. Tag Along, Linda Lee DeVerte; 3. Ginger, Charles Harris; 4. Ginger, Bobby Leaman.  
Open children's pony - 1. Miss Muffit, Derbydown Stables; 2. Dunganee Doll, Bobby Henry; 3. Bold Traveler, Janet Hanshaw; 4. Toby Ticks, Derbydown Stables.  
Jumper warm-up - 1. Town Talk, Frankhouse Stables; 2. Rheingold, Hooper Vines; 3. St. Nick, Derbydown Stables; 4. Maybe, William Douglass.  
Children's horsemanship - 1. Phyllis Ann Zuber; 2. Bobby Henry; 3. Beverly Ritter; 4. Susan Worrall.  
Local green hunters - 1. Chief, Mrs. Leon Thompson; 2. Jimmy Tango, John Lewis; 3. Amy, Robert Taylor; 4. Prince, Nancy Ladley.  
Pleasure horses - 1. Cedar, Frances Glover; 2. Satan's Imp, Derbydown Stables; 3. High Boy, Merritt Lumber Co.; 4. Sir Prize, Phyllis Ann Zuber.  
Children's hunters - 1. Whodunit, Derbydown Stables; 2. Bay Boy, Sally Davidson; 3. Coalie, Owen Jones; 4. Bar Rue, Derbydown Stables.  
Knock down & out - 1. Johnnie Specks, J. Ray Patterson; 2. Maybe; 3. Rock-a-Bye, Rocky Hill Stables; 4. St. Nick.  
Junior hacks - 1. Diana Major, Derbydown Stables; 2. Little Man, Jeannie Ramsey; 3. Apache Flame, Karen Caddell; 4. Toby Ticks.  
Green hunters - 1. Bar Rue; 2. Rip, Herb Shank; 3. Fortune, Derbydown Stables; 4. Shida, Jimmy LeFever.  
Local jumpers & hunters - 1. Mr. Topper, Walter Waterson; 2. Coalie; 3. Sadsbury, Harold R. Swart; 4. Spricky,

Green working hunter - 1. Rob Roy; 2. Cinderella, Estes Peachy; 3. Suncrest, Dick Day; 4. Susie, Vivian Brown.  
Hunter hack - 1. Irish Sunshine, Mrs. Beverly Thompson; 2. Susie; 3. T.N.P., Don Hargrave; 4. Pocka, Peter Hanson.  
Pair jumpers - 1. The Whip, Indecision; 2. Suncrest, T.N.P.; Colonel, Kimberley, Neal Slade; 4. Irish Sunshine, Harlem, Allan Clarkson.  
Working hunter stake - 1. The Whip; 2. Indecision; 3. Dilton, Moffat Dunlap; 4. Sun Rocket.  
Open jumpers - 1. Yankee Wonder; 2. Sun Rocket; 3. The Whip; 4. The Colonel.  
Knock down & out - 1. Yankee Wonder; 2. (tied) The Colonel, Sun Rocket; 4. (tied) Dilton, Queen Fraulein, Harold Livingston.

### TRYON HOUNDS COLT SHOW

CORRESPONDENT: Helen Hedekin.  
PLACE: Landrum, S. C.  
TIME: Oct. 6.  
JUDGE: Mrs. Robert Burke.  
CH: Blue Bound, Mrs. George Webster.  
RES: Fair-In-War, Fairview Farms.  
HUNTER CH: Arrans Isle, Block House Farm.  
RES: Gold Colony, Cotton Patch.

Mares who have had a foal, Thoroughbred - 1. Fair-In-War, Fairview Farms; 2. East Mas, Fairview Farms; 3. Cimмерosa, Fox Covert Farm; 4. Warrior Wee, Block House Farm.

Mares who have had a foal, other than Thoroughbred - 1. Pell Mell, Block House Farm; 2. Hot Brick, Cary Page;

### EGLINTON HUNTER TRIALS

CORRESPONDENT: Broadview.  
PLACE: L. J. McGuinness' Farm, King, Ontario.  
TIME: Oct. 6.  
JUDGES: Mr. & Mrs. Gilbert Humphrey.

### SUMMARIES:

Junior hunters, L. J. McGuinness trophy-1. Cadmus, J. C. Cakebread, Jr.; 2. Sunrise, David Shortill; 3. Snowball, Pene Umphrey; 4. Twilight, Martha West.

Junior Master's Shield, 3rd competition of a series-1. Twilight; 2. Sunrise; 3. Snowball; 4. Sev, Penny Alexander.  
Green hunters, Gordon F. Perry trophy-1. Twilight; 2. Toy Ghost, Robert Elder; 3. Indecision, Melvin Stone; 4. Sunrise.

Junior pairs-1. Snowball, Sev; 2. Sunrise, Little Coquette, Penny Robertson.

Hunters owned by a member or subscriber to a recognized hunt-1. Starclift, Lt. Col. Charles Baker; 2. Red Top, Robert Elder; 3. S'no Fair, Donald Umphrey; 4. Double Crossed, Lt. Col. Chas. Baker.

Senior Master's Shield, 3rd competition of a series-1. Starclift; 2. Red Top; 3. The Whip, Robert Elder; 4. Double Crossed.

Qualified working hunters, Clifford Sifton trophy-1. Starclift; 2. Tara, Brig, F. C. Wallace; 3. Toy Ghost; 4. Double Crossed.

Hunt teams, Eglington Hunt trophy-1. Tara, Highball, Maj. Charles Kindersley, Colleen, Maj. L. J. McGuinness; 2. The Whip, Red Top, Toy Ghost.

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### PARISH STABLES

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secty.

PLACE: Houston, Texas.

TIME: Sept. 14-15.

JUDGES: William P. Bell, Mrs. Whitney Abt.

JUNIOR HUNTER CH: Rock N'Roll, Jean Toole.

RES: Amigo, Sandy Thompson.

HUNTER CH: Medder, Alice Respass.

RES: Atomic Light, Parish Stables.

SUMMARIES:

Open hunter, 17 yrs & under-1. Atomic Light, Parish Stables; 2. Ditto, Vicki Reed; 3. Meddler, Alice Respass; 4. Gee Whiz, Sandy Pond.

Handy hunter, 12 yrs & under-1. Amigo, Sandy Thompson; 2. Plum Puddin', Hobby Horse Stable; 3. Debutante, Tad Langdon; 4. Lolypop, Jan Becker.

Novice equitation, 10 yrs & under-1. Milton Howe; 2. Pam Park; 3. Dick Respass; 4. Dennie Dawson.

Novice equitation, 17 yrs & under-1. Deanna Stowe; 2. Corky Ballard; 3. Anne Thompson; 4. Sarah Blaffer; 5. Patty Moehliman.

Junior jumper-1. Sad Sack, Edgepart Stables; 2. Fox Fire, George Dawson; 3. Nick, Edgepart Stables; 4. Atomic Light. Open hunter, 12 yrs & under-1. Rock N'Roll, Jean Toole; 2. Indian Dawn, Beverly Bunting; 3. Huckleberry, Carol Owen; 4. Lil'Angel, Diane Ward.

Horsemanship, 12 yrs & under-1. Jean Toole; 2. Gail Johnson; 3. Tad Langdon; 4. Ruth Eastham; 5. Jan Becker. Handy hunter, 17 yrs & under-1. Meddler; 2. Fox Fire; 3. Conquistador, Linda McMath; 4. Squire, Claude Ann Riggs.

Junior jumper, 12 yrs & under-1. Clover, Hobby Horse Stable; 2. Sad Sack; 3. Indian Dawn, Beverly Bunting; 4. Debutante.

Novice jumper-1. Bouncing Boy, Edgepart Stables; 2. Querida Mia, Patay Williams; 3. Nick; 4. Jack, Oakwood Stables.

Novice hunter-1. Querida Mia; 2. Nick; 3. Clover, Hobby Horse Stable; 4. El Dorado, Parish Stables. Horsemanship, 17 yrs & under-1. Sandy Pond; 2. Alice Respass; 3. George Dawson; 4. Nancy Gosnell; 5. Marcia Thomas.

Hunter stake, 12 yrs & under-1. Rock N'Roll; 2. Lulu, Lynn Francis; 3. Lolypop; 4. Plum Puddin'; 5. Amigo. Hunter stake, 17 yrs & under-1. Meddler; 2. Atomic Light; 3. Gee Whiz; 4. Hunter's Headlight, Parish Stables; 5. Souire.

### NEW VERNON

CORRESPONDENT: Edith Kessler.

PLACE: Morristown, N. J.

TIME: Oct. 5.

JUDGES: Mrs. Jean Corcoran Reilly, Mrs. Daniel Whiteman.

JUNIOR EXHIBITOR CH: The Kitten, Carol Hofmann.

RES: Coleraine, Bob Kavanaugh.

SMALL PONY CH: Too Soon, John Dillon.

RES: Wish Upon a Star, Karen Long.

LARGE PONY CH: High Noon, Sandra Klein.

RES: Irish Nutcracker, Penny Coughlan.

BEGINNERS CH: Gay Chalmac, Babbie Burrows.

RES: Little Black Sambo, Margaret Anne McClave.

EQUITATION CH: Ann C. Voorhees.

RES: Sandra Nagro.

GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Planet, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Coates.

RES: Corsican, Marcia Ann Tompane.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Tamburlaine, Ann C. Voorhees.

RES: Lucky Dove, Mrs. Marcus B. Hall.

SUMMARIES:

Beginners hunter under saddle - 1. Little Black Sambo, Margaret Anne McClave; 2. Gay Chalmac, Babbie Burrows; 3. Danny Boy, Beta Barnard; 4. Merry Mark, Abby Patterson. Junior hunters - 1. Kheyr, Ann C. Voorhees; 2. Tamburlaine, Ann C. Voorhees; 3. Colonel, Donna Strait; 4. The Kitten, Carol Hofmann.

Small ponies under saddle - 1. Mephisto, Robin Ross; 2. Too Soon, John Dillon; 3. Apache, Pamela Hall; 4. Mr. Chips; 5. R. B. Glenn.

Large ponies under saddle - 1. High Noon, Sandra Klein; 2. Christmas Holly, Carroll Tiernan; 3. Irish Nutcracker, Penny Coughlan; 4. Squiggles, Mr. & Mrs. George McNeill.

Working hunter, open - 1. Lucky Dove, Mrs. Marcus B. Hall; 2. Siree, Mrs. Thomas Forman; 3. Tamburlaine; 4. Jamie McGruin, Joanna Billings.

Horsemanship on the flat, 14 & under - 1. Ann Brewster; 2. Sandra Nagro; 3. Carroll Tiernan; 4. Judy Colpitts; 5. Penny Coughlan; 6. Mary Boyd.

Junior hunter hacks - 1. The Kitten; 2. Gee Whiz, Sara Hall; 3. Namesake, Judy Colpitts; 4. Tamburlaine.

Working hunter hacks - 1. Lucky Dove; 2. Tamburlaine; 3. Coleraine, Bob Kavanaugh; 4. Escapade, Oakland Academy.

Open horsemanship - 1. Sandra Nagro; 2. Nancy Sauer; 3. Ann C. Voorhees; 4. Ann Brewster; 5. Judy Jeffers; 6. Crofton Held.

Green working hunter, open - 1. Planet, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Coates; 2. Stock Exchange, Charles Wood; 3. Amberjack, Doris & Inrid Helmke; 4. Crafty Vixen, Hilltop Stable.

Small pony jumpers - 1. Wish Upon a Star; 2. Misty, Joan Muchmore; 3. Little American; 4. Apache.

Large pony jumpers - 1. Weefulls, Lynn Allegaert; 2. Sh-Boom; 3. High Noon; 4. Irish Nutcracker.

Beginners hunter - 1. Pop Corn, Suzanne Dickson; 2. Danny Boy; 3. Ghost, John Klapmuts; 4. Sugar Plum, Judy Jeffers.

Green working hunter under saddle - 1. Corsican, Marcia Ann Tompane; 2. Bouquet, Mrs. Thomas Forman; 3. Swing Glider, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Coates; 4. Bit O'Easter, Carol Hofmann.

Junior jumpers - 1. Coleraine; 2. Sun Spot, Roberta Farmer; 3. Seidoona, John Mueller; 4. Strange Lady, James Martin.

Working hunter appointments class - 1. Tamburlaine; 2. Siree; 3. Lucky Dove; 4. Jamie McGruin. Open horsemanship - 1. Ann C. Voorhees; 2. Sara Hall; 3. Karen Long; 4. Nancy Sauer; 5. Lydie Morrison; 6. Roberta Farmer.

Small pony hunters - 1. Too Soon; 2. Misty; 3. Wish Upon a Star; 4. Apache.

Large pony hunters - 1. Black Magic; 2. Irish Nutcracker; 3. High Noon; 4. Rusty, Stephanie Hamner.

Beginners jumpers - 1. Gay Chalmac; 2. Sugar Plum; 3. Azure Peak, Leslie Green; 4. Lista-Lael, Ruth Ann Philhower.

Green working hunter stake - 1. Platterful, Lane Billings; 2. Planet; 3. Stock Exchange; 4. Swing Glider.

Working hunter stake - 1. Siree; 2. Pierre, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Coates; 3. Tamburlaine; 4. Swing Glider.

### LUCKY 13

CORRESPONDENT: Exhibitor.

PLACE: Albany, N. Y.

TIME: Oct. 20.

JUDGE: Robert Sober.

SUMMARIES:

Open jumper-1. My Indian Princess, Russell Stewart; 2. Pegasus, Howard F. Smith; 3. Gamble On, Robert Sherry.

Road hack-1. Shasta Maid, Mr. & Mrs. Howard F. Smith; 2. Snapshot, Jan Casler; 3. Notice Me Too, Susan Rowe.

Horsemanship 11-16-1. Jan Casler; 2. Judy Rowe; 3. Susan Rowe; 4. Sue Myer.

Handy jumper-1. My Indian Princess; 2. Pegasus; 3. Gamble On.

Knock-down and out-1. Pegasus; 2. J.B. Howard Stanley; 3. Indian Princess.

### COOPER

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secty.

PLACE: Delaware Township, N. J.

TIME: Sept. 27-28.

JUDGES: T. J. Hamilton, Douglas Heckmann.

OPEN JUMPER CH: Bright Eyes, Elizabeth Hirst.

RES: Party Miss, Mr. & Mrs. William Loeffler.

SUMMARIES:

Open horsemanship - 1. Barbara Harris; 2. Marian Schultz; 3. Mrs. Eugene Van Ness; 4. Helen Zimmerman.

Model hunter - 1. Flare-Up, Susan Deasy; 2. North Light, Juanita Andre; 3. Elysian Echo, Ann Winberly; 4. Red Robin, Susan Deasy.

Leadline - 1. Michael Jo Yorlitch; 2. Kathy Summer; 3. Nancy Magee; 4. Bobby Daisy.

Children's equitation, hunting seat - 1. Joan Bateman; 2. Juanita Andre; 3. John Miksch; 4. Carlen E. Goodley.

AHSA medal class, hunting seat - 1. Juanita Andre; 2. Lynn Loeffler; 3. Susan Deasy; 4. Carlen E. Goodley.

Working hunter hack - 1. Nimble One, Mary Loveland; 2. Great Dane, Leonard A. Duffy; 3. Venus, L. F. Sharpless; 4. Tiny Tim, Harry Noubarger.

Knockdown & out - 1. Bright Eyes, Elizabeth Hirst; 2. Easy Money, Ernest Koch; 3. Party Miss, Mr. & Mrs. William Loeffler; 4. Maybe, William Douglas.

Horsemanship, children - 1. Candy Miksch; 2. John Miksch; 3. Mike Goelji; 4. Meg Duffy.

PHA challenge trophy, open jumpers - 1. Bright Eyes; 2. Maybe; 3. Party Miss; 4. Easy Money.

Handy hunter - 1. Party Miss; 2. Red Robin; 3. Flare-Up; 4. Tiny Tim.

Open jumping stake - 1. Bright Eyes; 2. Party Miss; 3. Maybe; 4. Drop It, Mrs. W. C. Miller.

### ARAPAHOE RIDING CLUB

CORRESPONDENT: GHP.

PLACE: Denver, Colo.

TIME: Sept. 21-22.

JUDGES: Raymond J. Wallen, Col. Robert L. Robertson.

OPEN DIV. CH: Buckbrush, Mrs. R. G. Rolofson.

RES: Crafty Queen, Howard Robison.

NOVICE DIV. CH: Prairie Posie, Arapahoe Riding Club.

RES: Powder River, Arapahoe Riding Club.

HIGH POINT CH: (tied) Buckbrush, Mrs. R. G. Rolofson.

RES: (tied) Powder River, Arapahoe Riding Club, Sea Ballard, Jane Hart, Booger Red, Karen Phipps, Royal Salute, Marta Phipps.

SUMMARIES:

Horsemanship over jumps, open - 1. Gertrude Grant; 2. Jan Karabin; 3. Ellie Crockett; 4. Karen Phipps.

Horsemanship over jumps, teams - 1. Jan Karabin; 2. Karen Phipps; 3. Ellie Crockett; 4. Marta Phipps.

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Working hunter under saddle, novice - 1. Banner, Lynn Wilson; 2. Rex, Arapahoe Riding Club; 3. Jackie, Arapahoe Riding Club; 4. Sloc Gin, Arapahoe Riding Club.  
Handy hunter, open - 1. Booger Red, Karen Phipps; 2. Buckbrush, Mrs. R. C. Rolofson; 3. Navy Chief, Sherry McCurry; 4. Trail Blazer, Col. R. L. Robertson.  
Horseman's novice, 12-18 - 1. Jane Catherwood; 2. Mary Kreider; 3. Bebe Lowen; 4. Carol Stampfl.  
Fault & out against time, open - 1. Crafty Queen, Howard Robison; 2. Gipsy Hill, Mrs. David M. Davis; 3. Navy Chief; 4. Royal Salute, Marta Phipps.  
Pir class, novice - 1. Sloc Gin, Rex; 2. Kentucky, Arapahoe R. C., Lucky, Mary Kreider; 3. Duncan, Arapahoe R. C., Prairie Posie.  
Open jumper against time, open - 1. Trail Blazer; 2. Buckbrush; 3. Crafty Queen; 4. Sea Ballad, Jane Hart.  
Horseman's, 11 & under - 1. Beth Fish; 2. Betty Jane McCullough; 3. Nancy Catherwood; 4. (tied) Lynn Wilson, Linda Knipfer.  
Working hunter, open - 1. Royal Salute; 2. Buckbrush; 3. Crafty Queen; 4. Sea Ballad.  
Handy hunter horseman's, novice - 1. Powder River; 2. Prairie Posie; 3. Lucky; 4. Duncan.  
Team jumping - 1. Arapahoe (Brutus, Booger Red, Royal Salute) 7 faults; 2. Coxtails (Sea Ballad, Buckbrush, Trail Blazer) 24 faults.  
Individual - 1. Sea Ballad; 2. Brutus; 3. Booger Red; 4. Royal Salute.

### VALLEY FORGE FARM

CORRESPONDENT: Fencepost.  
PLACE: Valley Forge, Pa.  
TIME: Oct. 13.  
JUDGES: Richard Atkinson, Mrs. Kenneth Winchell.  
HUNTER CH: Tarad, J. D. McKinnon.  
RES: Braca Nymph, Dr. & Mrs. E. L. Meinfelder.  
GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Sea Flares, Dr. Rife Gingrich.  
RES: Ski Thrill, Debbie Buchanan.  
CHILDREN'S CH: Sweet Timothy, Debbie Buchanan.  
RES: Brave War, Wendy Wanamaker.  
SUMMARIES:  
Children's horseman's, over 13 - 1. Wendy Wanamaker; 2. Patricia Skinner; 3. Debbie Buchanan; 4. Lance Kelley; 5. Penny Greiner; 6. Kit Kerns.  
Children's horseman's, 12 & under - 1. Lee Godshalk; 2. Winkle Buchanan; 3. Christy West; 4. Dickie Levegood; 5. Louise Kelley; 6. Lyn Lockhart.  
Children's working hunters, ponies - 1. Sweet Timothy, Debbie Buchanan; 2. Red Feather, Louise Kelley; 3. Jamboree, Nancy Tindle; 4. Buckwheat, Polly Tindle.  
Children's working hunters, horses - 1. Early Bird, Lance Kelley; 2. Brave War, Wendy Wanamaker; 3. Junior, Lee Godshalk; 4. This Is It, Creekside Stables.  
Children's hunter hack, ponies - 1. Sweet Timothy; 2. Hym, Mrs. John Neill; 3. Jamboree; 4. Jack Frost, Dickie Levegood.  
Children's hunter hack, horses - 1. Aer Lingus, Nancy Tindle; 2. Mr. Lee, Roddy Wanamaker; 3. Ski Thrill, Debbie Buchanan; 4. Junior.  
Children's handy hunter, ponies - 1. Jamboree; 2. Sweet Timothy; 3. Buckwheat; 4. Red Feather.  
Children's handy hunter, horses - 1. Double Scotch, William J. Babb; 2. Brave War; 3. Junior; 4. Early Bird.  
Open working hunter - 1. Double Scotch; 2. Wizard, Mrs. Thomas Jenks; 3. Tarad, J. D. McKinnon; 4. This Is It.  
Novice hunter - 1. Sea Flares; 2. Ripshot, Dr. & Mrs. G. F. Oppenlander; 3. Ski Thrill; 4. Bell Rock, Mrs. Ernest Scott.  
Amateur working hunters - 1. Wizard; 2. Braca Nymph, Dr. & Mrs. E. L. Meinfelder; 3. Double Scotch; 4. Sea Flares.  
Green working hunter - 1. Sea Flares; 2. Mr. Lee; 3. Ski Thrill; 4. The Spider, Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Babb.  
Handy working hunter - 1. Tarad; 2. Braca Nymph; 3. Trail Blazer, Frank P. Kane; 4. Double Scotch.  
Green hunter stake - 1. Ski Thrill; 2. Ripshot; 3. Bell Rock; 4. Mr. Lee.  
Working hunter stake - 1. Tarad; 2. Braca Nymph; 3. Tipples, Mrs. Charles Scribner; 4. Ripshot; 5. Double Scotch; 6. Tight Spot, Deirdre Hanna.  
Hunter hack - 1. The Spider; 2. Bellrock; 3. Mr. Lee; 4. Gold Over, Valley Forge Farm.

### SERTOMA CHARITY

CORRESPONDENT: Louise Ackerman.  
PLACE: Lincoln, Neb.  
TIME: Oct. 5-6.  
JUDGES: Jane Fahey, Robert B. Plumb.  
CH: Flamebino, Rollo Ackerman.  
RES: Silnor's King, Dr. G. A. Ackerman.  
SUMMARIES:  
Green jumpers - 1. Role Past, Dennis Johnson; 2. Ratler, Jim Wofford; 3. High Society, Judy Tucker; 4. Topaz Delight, George Mares.  
Open jumpers - 1. D K W., Dr. E. S. Ackerman; 2. Flamebino, Rollo Ackerman; 3. Silnor's King, Dr. G. A. Ackerman; 4. Ranikaboo, Dr. G. A. Ackerman.  
Barrien springen - 1. Silnor's King; 2. Flamebino; 3. Tingling, Jonas Irbinskis; 4. D K W.  
Open jumpers - 1. Flamebino; 2. Silnor's King; 3. D K W.; 4. Tingling.

## CALIFORNIA STATE HORSEMEN'S

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secty.  
PLACE: Antioch, California.  
TIME: Oct. 3-6.  
JUDGES: J. F. Foley, Alex Sysin.  
SUMMARIES:  
Junior horsemastership, boy-1. Andy Stradan.  
Junior horsemastership, girl-1. Joan Roberts; 2. Sharon Keyes.  
English equitation, 10 yrs & under-1. Linda Collier; 2. Jerri Lynne Johnson; 3. Susan Rue; 4. Libby Van Loben Sales.  
English equitation, 11-13 yrs-1. Sharen Keyes; 2. Linda Harris; 3. Judy Hartmann; 4. Nancy Foster; 5. Judy Hartmann; 4. Nancy Foster; 5. Smoky Grove.  
Pleasure horses-1. Parley, Norman Harris; 2. Jessica Lee, Bill Foster; 3. Solid Citizen Valerie Greager; 4. Snow Face, Bill Weir.  
Trail horses-1. Taffy, Phil Ernst; 2. Billy B, Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Couch; 3. Miss Driftwood, Dave Parma; 4. Mohawk, Carla Jean Kaufman.  
English equitation, 11-17 yrs-1. Martha Schroeder; 2. Valerie Greager; 3. Norman Harris; 4. Linda Fischer; 5. Susan Pyllman.  
Matched pairs-1. Mr. Sage, Ann Matson, Mrs. Shiela Sage, Maureen Cardinet; 2. Tiger Lily, Mary Ann Shea; 3. Cinders, Smoky Grove; 3. Jack Daw, Sandy Hill, Mudlark, Bull Engman.  
Open jumpers-1. Diamond Lil, Jackie Splithoff; 2. Ramblers Rogue, Jackie Splithoff; 3. Reamus, Ethel Totten; 4. Snow Face.  
Open working hunters-1. Reamus; 2. Top Hand, Elizabeth Leonard.

### FAYETTEVILLE

CORRESPONDENT: Miriam Rabb.  
PLACE: Fayetteville, N. C.  
TIME: Oct. 5.  
WORKING HUNTER CH: Dark Silvos, Carol Cathey.  
RES: Gin Rickey, Amy Dale Gabriel.  
GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Daiquiri, Amy Dale Gabriel.  
RES: Beau Dink, Mary Lib Fisher.  
JUMPER CH: Fieldmaster, Carol Cathey.  
RES: General Mac, Homer McGinn.  
SUMMARIES:  
Equitation championship, hunter seat - 1. Amy Dale Gabriel; 2. Eric George; 3. Linda Fuller; 4. Brenda Bracken; 5. Beth Winborne; 6. Terry Reeves.

AHSA equitation, hunter seat - 1. Bucky Reynolds; 2. Amy Dale Gabriel.  
Jumper stake - 1. General Mac, Homer McGinn; 2. Creme de Mint, Meadowbrook Stables; 3. General Ike, Helen Steiger; 4. Fieldmaster, Carol Cathey; 5. Taffey, Diana Dove; 6. Cherrywine, Meadowbrook Stables.  
Working hunter stake - 1. Gin Rickey, Amy Dale Gabriel; 2. Dark Silvos, Carol Cathey; 3. Rynie B.; 4. Fieldmaster.  
Green working hunter stake - 1. Daiquiri, Amy Dale Gabriel; 2. Beau Dink, Mary Lib Fisher; 3. Cherrywine; 4. Creme de Mint; 5. Fleet Ghost, Caddell Stables.  
Working hunter backs - 1. Idono; 2. Dark Silvos; 3. Gen. Mac; 4. Gin Rickey.  
Open green working hunters - 1. Daiquiri; 2. Beau Dink; 3. Cherrywine; 4. Fleet Ghost.  
Open working hunters - 1. Dark Silvos; 2. Field Master; 3. Taffey; 4. Idono; 5. Gen. Mac.  
Knockdown & out - 1. Fieldmaster; 2. Gen. Ike; 3. Cherrywine; 4. Gen. Mac.

### HIDDEN HILL HUNTER TRIALS

CORRESPONDENT: Mike Kelley.  
PLACE: Williamsville, N. Y.  
TIME: Sept. 29.  
JUDGE: Mrs. LaBar H. Clark.  
SUMMARIES:  
Green hunters - 1. Royal Miss, Mrs. Reed Hunt; 2. Dark Town, Mrs. Edward Harris; 3. Gay Venture, Elton Bream; 4. Dime a Dozen, Mr. Thornberry.  
Children's hunters - 1. Muchacha, Wade Stevenson; 2. Red Wing, Caroline Carson; 3. Quick Silver, P. Clement; 4. Cha-Cha, D. Clowther.  
Owner-rider - 1. Top Sail, J. Evans; 2. Jung Frau, E. Harris; 3. Bright Lad, J. Forman; 4. Gino's Blarney, Mrs. R. Hunt.  
Lightweight hunters - 1. Royal Miss; 2. Lucky Juda, Mrs. C. W. Carson; 3. Judith, F. Stone; 4. Magic Fencer, E. Bream.  
Hunter hack - 1. Bright Lad; 2. Jung Frau; 3. Pink Mink, W. Stevenson; 4. Red Wing.  
Middle & heavyweight hunters - 1. Jung Frau; 2. Gay Venture; 3. Bright Lad; 4. Hoodwink, F. Stone.  
Pairs of hunters tandem - 1. Gino's Blarney, Bright Lad; 2. Magic Fencer, Gay Venture; 3. Hoodwink, Judith; 4. Muchacho, Entry, M. Alexander.



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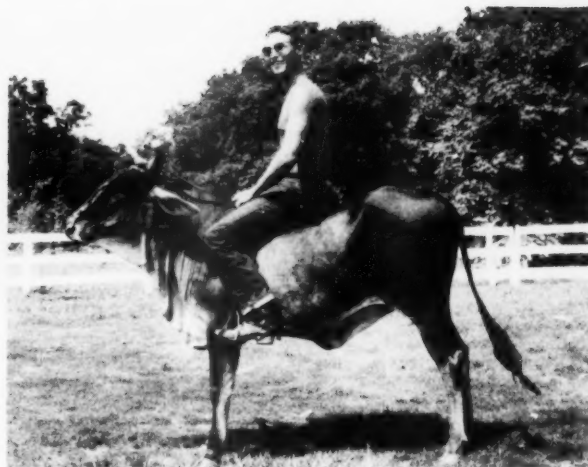
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Sincerely yours,  
Roger Miller

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### Letters To The Editor

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iments.

It was a tremendous help in parts of the country short of panels.

I hope that the above may be of interest to you.

Cordially yours,  
J. Watson Webb  
Shelburne, Vermont

### Horse Plants

(Editor's Note: The following letter and editorial comment appeared in a recent issue of "The Field".)

Sir, - In a broadcast one of the speakers, referring to horse parsley, said that the adjective "horse" denoted bigness. Surely this is incorrect. I have always understood that "horse" is a corruption of "whore's", which was the word our ancestors commonly and aptly used to describe something coarse or inferior; for example, whore's mushroom, whore's chestnut, etc.

In the nineteenth century the pronunciation and spelling were modified to suit Victorian ideas of refinement, and now the true derivation of the word has been forgotten.

R. S. Adams

Jesmond Cottage  
Newcastle upon Tyne

That "horse" signified bigness or coarseness in plants is correct. That "horse" is a nineteenth - century corruption of "whore's" seems less tenable, since the description "horse" was used in much earlier times. "Horse" does not invariably mean bigness. The horse chestnut is said to owe its name to the use made of the fruits to cure horses of coughs. - Ed.

### BOOKS



REGULATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS - OLYMPIC HORSE PREPARATION SERIES COMPETITIONS, BY MAJ. GEN. C. C. MANN.

Although only a Supplement to the Canadian Horse Shows Association's Rule Book, it almost dwarfs that rule book both in size and rendition. General Mann in compiling the material has used largely his own ideas and has now generously presented his work to the C. H. S. A.

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## European Three Day Championship

Michael Page

The European Three Day championship was run in Copenhagen, Denmark, from the 3rd to the 5th of October under the protection of Her Majesty Queen Ingrid. Six nations, France, Germany, Great Britain, Poland, Sweden and Denmark started official teams. Ireland was also entered, but due to difficulties was not able to bring its horses.

I have been riding and studying in Europe for the past eleven months, the last three being spent in Munster, Germany at the Westfaelische Reit-u-Fahrschule under the direction of Major Paul Stecken. As I have been there expressly for Combined Training preparation, Major Stecken urged that I go to Copenhagen to see and study an international competition that in most respects is the same as the Olympic Games. I did not have to be asked twice, as it was arranged for me to go along with the German team. The event thus proved even more interesting, due to the interest and help given to me by the German Chef d'Equipe General Viebig, as well as the riders themselves. Not having the United States to root for, being with the German team, and knowing all the riders on the British team as well, made the question of who I was rooting for to win what, quite complicated.

The German Team consisted of four

riders - the Olympic Silver Medal winner August Lutke Westhues (Franco II), Reiner Klimke (Lausbub), Siegfried Dehning (Fechtlanze) and Dieter Fosken (Fifina).

We left from Warendorf, the Olympic training center, on Monday, September 30th and arrived in Copenhagen on the afternoon of the first. On Wednesday morning, after the inspection of horses by the International Inspection Committee, came the "official" walking of the steeplechase and cross-country courses.

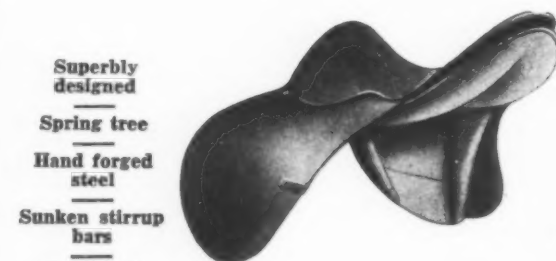
Great Britain's Sheila Willcox (High and Mighty), E. E. Marsh (Wild Venture), Major D. S. Allhusen (Laurien), Miss K. Tatham Warter (Pampas Cat) and Miss G. Morrison (Just William) were considered by all pre-trial experts the overwhelming favorites. This proved to be correct, but not until after a bitter struggle between the only two teams in close contention for the championship, Great Britain and Germany. For the individual title Sheila Willcox beat A. Lutke Westhues on the last day's jumping by one knockdown.

### Dressage

The Dressage Test used in Copenhagen was the same as the one used at the Stockholm Olympics. Twenty-eight horses and riders started the first phase of competition, twenty-seven finished. In first place at the end of the Dressage Phase was Lutke Westhues on the young German horse Franco II (79). Eight points behind came Sheila Willcox on High and Mighty

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## Brandywine Polo

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Yale's 1957-'58 varsity polo squad captain, George (Frolic) Weymouth, pounded home a tie breaking goal to give the Eli quartet a 3-2 victory over Princeton. Mike Poutiatine, last year's captain of the Yale varsity and alumnus Don Ross, Jr with Brandywine's E. B. (Duke) Stewart completed the Bulldogs lineup. Bill Prickett, Jr. and Dick Huber combined with Brandywine regulars Norm Taylor and Lyle Phillips to wage the Tiger attack. A crowd of approximately 1500 contributed to the sponsors' scholarship funds. The alumni groups plan to make this outing an annual event.

Yale	Princeton
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2. M. Poutiatine	R. Huber
3. G. Weymouth	N. Taylor
4. E. Stewart	L. Phillips
Yale	0 1 0 0 2 3
Princeton	1 0 0 1 0 0 2

Scoring: Yale - Weymouth 1, Stewart 2,  
Princeton - Prickett 1, Taylor 1.

Wed, Sept. 18, Rainout.







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future Canadian Olympic aspirants, both horses and riders, as much experience as possible in this particular field. With that purpose in mind the various suggested competitions are so designed that a novice horse can be brought along, one step at a time, during the years preceding the next Olympic Year. It is with satisfaction that one notes a tone of moderation as to the heights and speeds indicated, in order to further this object. In fact, as is the custom in England, there is provision for both Novice and Open horses, again paving the way for newcomers to this sport.

In order to avoid excessive duplication, frequent references are made to the official rules of the F. E. L., which govern all international Three Day Events. As changes are made in these rules, amendments will be added to the supplement. For example the recent adoption by the British Horse Society of "Minimum Time", in place of the former Bonus Time system, which is gaining favour in Europe, is not yet reflected here.

The author appears to have covered every eventuality, so that an organizing committee can stage such a competition on the strength of the supplement and the rule book, alone. General Mann's experience as a staff officer is particularly reflected in the Tables, which show, pictorially, the "Chain of Command" throughout the five zones into which Canada is divided. There follow many time-penalty tables, which would save a scorer considerable time, and lastly a most impressive timetable with coloured blocks, which lays down the sequence of events, if a One-, Two- and Three-Day Horse Trials were to be run off concurrently. Such split-second timing calls for experienced officials of whom there are all too few, but the Supplement's explicit instructions should provide the proper guidance.

H.S.T.

### 3-Day Championship

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(87). In third and fourth positions respectively were the young Danish rider Lt. Peter Zobel on Bruno (91) and the German R. Klimke on Lausbub. These were the four riders having under 100 penalty points. Illuster, with Olympic Gold Medal winner Sergeant Petrus Kastenmann, (Sweden) was fifth.

In team standings Germany emerged in first place with Sweden and Great Britain following in that order. The standard of dressage for the first three teams was good. France and Denmark had one rider each, Capt. Lefrant and Lieutenant Zobel respectively, that reached the standard of the first three nations. The others did not appear to be as well prepared. The Polish riders were trying to do with young horses a job that was just a little too difficult.

#### Endurance

I walked the cross-country course with

the competitors. The general opinion was that it was a fair test. General Viebig said he thought there was no unfair fence on the course. Everyone seemed to agree it was not as hard as Stockholm, but it did, however, present a few problems of its own. The fences that took the greatest toll were numbers 3 and 4. The first fence was set very close to a deep drop. It was just far enough away so that, with a cautious approach, a horse might jump, land on top of the slide, then take one step and slide down to where, after one or two galloping strides, the horse must then jump another drop fence. If the rider jumped the first fence boldly he had a drop of 8 to 10 feet and then immediately another jump. It was exceedingly difficult to judge accurately the pace at which the horse would have enough impulsion to jump cleanly and also land on top of the hill.

Many horses and riders went over upside down rather than right side up. High and Mighty completed the endurance phase in the fastest time, even with one refusal at the aforementioned obstacle. Seven horses were eliminated and nine horses arrived at the finish without having had a fall. Of the nine horses only 3 - Franco II, Fechtlanze and Laurian received no penalty points.

In the steeplechase phase every one of the five English riders received 36 maximum bonus points, a score equalled only by Klimke on Lausbub of the German team.

At the end of the endurance and dressage phases placings stood as follows: In team competition Germany led Britain by 4 points. Third and fourth, more than 300 points behind, were Sweden and Denmark. The French Team was eliminated when two of the riders failed to finish the cross-country. In individual honors A. Lutke Westhues (Germany) led Sheila Willcox (Britain) by only 7 points. Thus for the Stadium Jumping next day one mistake (10 points) could tell the story. These two riders were the only ones concerned with 1st and 2nd places. About 70 points behind came the Swedeish Lt. Lindgren (Eldorado). Wild Venture, Lausbub and Fechtlanze all stood bunched closely in 3rd to 6th places.

#### Stadium Jumping

Due to heavy rains all day long the ground was exceedingly slippery. Only one clear round was recorded - Major Allhusen (Laurien) and even he had two penalty points for time.

For the individual, Sheila Willcox went first. The course was one of the best I have ever seen as far as obstacles go, and presented a good test. High and Mighty had 20 faults, thus, A. Lutke Westhues had an advantage of 27 faults when he entered the ring. He had three fences down and so the individual championship went by three points to Sheila Willcox on High and Mighty. The other English horses had many faults, but the Germans had more. So, on the last day, Great Britain carried all before her and won as expected, but

not altogether an easy victory. Three teams received awards, England (270); Germany (320); and Sweden (1050).

The individual results were as follows: 1. Sheila Willcox (High and Mighty), Great Britain, 42 points; 2. A. Lutke Westhues, (Franco II), Germany, 45 points; 3. Lt. Jonas Lindgren (Eldorado), Sweden, more than 100 points behind; 4. Mr. E. E. Marsh (Wild Venture), Great Britain.

### Racing Review

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The Maryland Futurity, at Laurel, October 31, was taken by Sew It Up.

Battle Dance registered in the Tanforan Handicap, October 26.

Point of Order was home first in the National Jockey Club Handicap at Sportsman's, November 2. Police Call took the Land o' Lincoln Stakes at the same track, October 30.

Leallah won the Falls City Handicap at Churchill, on November 2.

Dumpty Humpty set new world record of 1:08 flat for six furlongs in winning the Richmond Handicap at Golden Gate Fields, November 2.

Golden Gate's Albany Handicap (October 28) went to The Searcher.

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## 1957 PENNA. NATIONAL

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International teams were feted at the annual Military Ball given Friday night by the 79th Infantry Division. A feature was a Grand March and the rendition of the national anthems of the visiting teams.

M. L. S.

## O'HEHIR IN NEW YORK

Michael O'Hehir, Ireland's leading sports announcer and correspondent for The Morning Telegraph, covered the Gaelic football games at the Polo Grounds in New York on October 20th for Radio Eireann. He is remaining to study the operation of the film patrol, which will be installed in Ireland next year and will stay on for the Washington D. C. International at Laurel Race Track.

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## LEN B. SHOUSE

One of the great Walker Hound breeders of all time, Len B. Shouse, died on September 28th at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, Ky., at the age of 87. He was a director of the Keeneland Race Course and was well known to horsemen as president of the Lafayette Hotel, Lexington, from 1920 to 1951. He was also a director of the National Fox Hunters Association.

## MRS. LANGO INJURED IN FALL

The only sour note of the Genesee Valley Hunt Horse Trials was when Mrs. F. E. Lango of Boston Hills, New York, parted company from her horse. The accident occurred when her mount, Take-off, fell after jumping a fallen tree. Mrs. Lango was hospitalized with several small bones in her back injured and she will be unable to ride for the remainder of the season.

## ON MEXICAN TEAM

Frosty Morn, once owned by Cappy Smith, is now a mount of the Mexican team, under the name of Jarocha. Unfortunately, Mr. Smith's former national champion Clay Pigeon, which was sold a couple of years ago along with Frosty Morn to Gen. Mariles, died this year of a blood clot. He also had been on the Mexican team with a Mexican name, and last year came out in only one class at Harrisburg.

M. L. S.

Our cover picture is a reproduction of a painting of the Duke of Paeonian with Betty Beryl Schenk up, who has ridden the champion show horse in many of his successes in the show ring. Robert Kerns, manager for Mr. & Mrs. John S. Pettibone also has had the leg up on the 5-year-old, brown gelding by Great Union-Gloria, which stands 17.1 hands.

"The Duke" has won championships at the top ranking shows in this country and Canada. In 1956 he captured the AHSA green conformation high score award and was the green conformation champion of Canada. He won the Virginia Horse Shows Association's green conformation high score award in 1955 and 1956. The Duke of Paeonian has acquired many more show ring laurels, which space does not permit us to numerate.

M.R.

## OLD TIMER'S OBSERVATIONS

Observations at Orange County Meet on Friday, Nov. 1, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Furness and after an absence of ten years:

Duke Leach still going strong as huntsman (40 years) says nowadays many deer are flushed, spoiling the fox hunting. Deer are a new experience for him and his hounds.

Four very elegant ladies riding side saddle, blue habit, black boots, white stock and top hat and veil, Mrs. Fletcher Harper, Mrs. George Tener, Mrs. John J. O'Fallon, III and Mrs. Prentice Porter. Who spares a glance for ladies riding astride when one can admire the traditional side saddle style? Mr. George Cole Scott impeccably turned out in black melton coat and topper riding his favourite grey hunter. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shaw, regulars for many, many years with the Orange County Hounds wondering about the weather. Two old timers, Mr. Freddie Prince and Mr. William A. Phillips on foot, unusual for them. Why ??? Cannot be that these thrusters are grounded permanently.

M. F. H. Charles Turner looking very elegant in Pink coat and mounted on a lively brown horse. In fact the whole hunt staff and hounds, whip, huntsman and Master are second to none when it comes to being well mounted and turned out. This has been the case for years and as far as the hunting is concerned those ring necked hounds are justly famous.

There were at least 50 persons in the Field of all ages above school age and for the most part mounted on good solid hunters as was evident when they moved off. First the hounds and staff at a walk, the hounds being cast right away and spreading to the first covert. The Master and the rest of his large field moved off at a leisurely gait with no bucking or fretting or rushing to the front. This is Orange County today as it always has been.

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#### SEES INTERNATIONAL SHOWS

Mrs. Helen Chapman has returned to her home in Seattle, Washington, after a visit to Europe. She had the good fortune to see the International Shows at Aachen, White City and Dublin.

#### FARMERS' FLAT RACE

An incident occurred at the annual Genesee Valley Hunt Race Meet when the finish judges were being given their instructions for the Farmers' Flat Race. Each individual judge was to watch for a specific rider and what position they placed. All was arranged and the judges complacently watched the parade to the post. By way of an afterthought the committee head turned to the judges and said "Better be sure that you get this accurately, you'll be lynched if you don't."



AT THE HUNT MEETINGS - (Left): Former steeplechase rider Frank Powers with Jack Cooper, Racing Secretary and Handicapper of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association at Rose Tree. (Freudy Photo). (Right): Jockey M. Hoey discusses the turn of events at the Rolling Rock Hunt Races. (Hawkins Photo)

#### ACCOMPLISHED 13-YR-OLD

When 13-year-old Ruby Zemo placed first with The Surgeon, and fifth with This Is It in the local hunters class at the Penna. National the elated young Miss Zemo was heard to shout, as she led her first horse at a run out of the ring: "Let's hurry out of here before they change their minds!" Ruby earlier placed second with This Is It, to famed Kimberling in the handy hunter class - no mean feat in a stiff field of big-name competitors. M.L.S.

#### HAILSTORM'S RIGHTFUL OWNER

Gordon Fishback's smooth going jumper Hailstorm was listed in the McLean Horse Show results as the reserve jumper champion belonging to Wally Holly of Groveton, Va. The fact that Hailstorm was purchased from Mr. Holly by Mr. Fishback in August has just been called to our attention.



#### NATIONAL MUSEUM PLANS STEEPLECHASE EXHIBIT

Walter M. Jeffords, Sr., president of the National Museum of Racing, Inc. at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., recently announced that the entire second floor of the Museum is being devoted to paintings of steeplechase horses and to trophies won by them. Portraits of prominent owners of steeplechasers have also been acquired. The Museum would be interested in hearing from those having mementos of this kind which they might like to donate to the collection.

#### PRESTON BURCH BETTER

Preston Burch, trainer for the Brookmeade Farm, Upperville, Va., who suffered a slight heart attack while visiting the farm some weeks ago, has been released from the hospital and is once more in circulation.

#### CHUCK CONNORS BACK

After an extended illness of several months, Chuck Connors, whose column has long been one of the features of "The Morning Telegraph", is back in harness.

#### HYPERION PARADES

As an indication of the strong position held by horse shows in England, it is interesting to note that at the recent Haringay Show, Lord Derby sent the 27-year-old Hyperion to join the "personality parade" along with show hunters and jumpers, a Grand National winner, and show ponies. We wonder whether any of the owners of leading stallions in this country, either retired or still active, would be interested in sending their horses to the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden to parade.

#### ALMY HONORED AT HRPA DINNER

Over 500 people gathered at a dinner at the Paddock Club at the Suffolk Downs Race Track on the night of October 28th given in honor of William Almy, Jr., presiding steward at the Suffolk Downs meeting. The dinner was organized by the New England Division of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association of which Max White is president.

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